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VIGOROUS FIGHTING RAGING IN DISPUTED AREA

Soviet Offensive Is Repulsed, Japan Claims

Protest Filed In Moscow Against Manchukuo Invasion

TOKYO, AUGUST 10. VIGOROUS ENGAGEMENTS RAGED IN THE ENTIRE DISPUTED AREA AS FRESH SOVIET TROOPS LAUNCHED ATTACKS IN THE VARIOUS SECTORS, according to despatches received this afternoon. Japanese positions in Yangkuping were attacked at 6 o'clock this morning but the Soviet offensive was repulsed after one hour.

Two Soviet planes flew over Shatsanfeng this morning but no bombs were dropped.

IN MOSCOW TODAY, Mr. Fumao Miyakawa, First Secretary of the Japanese Embassy, filed a protest with the Soviet Government against the invasion of Manchukuo on August 7. The protest was made through the Director of the Far Eastern Affairs Bureau of the Foreign Affairs Commissariat.

A Foreign Office spokesman here told foreign correspondents today that the Japanese Government has no intention to bring diplomatic negotiations to a deadlock. Everything depends on the Soviet attitude.

"The conciliatory nature of the Japanese proposals for settlement of the dispute can be seen," the spokesman declared, "by the fact that Japan is willing to have the proposed border commission composed on a fifty-fifty basis with Japan and Manchukuo representing one unit and the Soviet Union the other." (Reuter).

ATTACKS SINCE NIGHTFALL

Tokyo, Aug. 10. Since nightfall yesterday, Soviet troops, about two battalions strong, have been making "obstinate attacks," repeatedly, on Japanese

FRENCH AUTHOR FLIES HERE

Arrives On Air France Plane.

An interesting personality on the Air France plane which arrived in the Colony yesterday was Mlle. Gabrielle Bertrand, journalist and author and special representative of L'Illustration and Figaro.

Mlle. Bertrand is shortly proceeding to the interior on a personal goodwill tour. Expressing great sympathy for the Chinese cause, Mlle. Bertrand said that China was fighting a very gallant battle.

In 1934, Mlle. Bertrand published a book called "Manchukuo-Mongolia," which describes her adventures during an exploration trip into Mongolia and a tour through Manchukuo.

ACCOMPLISHED PERSON

A very accomplished person, Mlle. Bertrand is also an aviator and hopes in the near future to fly to China on her own.

Describing the present trip, she said that it had been pleasant but uneventful. The trip from Paris occupied seven days. She will be leaving Hong Kong within a month for Yunnan and Szechuen.

Mlle. Bertrand is also connected with the Department of Sanitation of Air France.

WOMEN WALK STREETS, DEMAND PEACE

Paris, Aug. 10.

A violent demonstration by the women of Valencia took place in the streets of the city on Tuesday when news of the Ebro defeat became known. It is reported here by Le Jour. Assembling in large groups, the women surged through the streets demanding peace and food.

The police were finally compelled to break up the demonstration and in the ensuing melee, 40 persons were severely injured, 100 being arrested for agitating against the Government. These will be placed on trial before the People's Tribunal. (Transocean).

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 30-1/4.

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2 7/8d.

London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent)

London silver prices today were up 1/16 as follows:—

Aug. 9. Aug. 10.

Spot.....19-1/2 19-9/16

Forward.....19-3/8 19-7/16

First Lord's Visit To Stockholm

ALLIANCE RUMOURS DENIED

Stockholm, August 10.

Exaggerated suggestions, made on the occasion of the journey of the First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. W. A. Duff Cooper, to Stockholm in the course of his Baltic tour are strongly deprecated by Stockholm's Tidningen in a leading article today.

The paper emphatically denies rumours that Mr. Duff Cooper wishes to persuade the Swedish Government to conclude a naval alliance with England and declares that the British Government assuredly entertains no doubts as to Sweden's firm resolution to steer clear of all alliances.

On the other hand, according to the paper, it is probable that Mr. Duff Cooper, in his conversations with representatives of the navies of various Northern countries, will advocate early application of the fundamental agreement concerning the international reduction of armaments. This policy, says the paper, would be in complete harmony with the desire of the Northern countries to contribute what they can to put an end to the wasteful armaments competition. (Transocean).

ARRIVAL AT DANZIG

Danzig, August 10.

The First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. Duff Cooper, accompanied by Lady Diana Cooper, arrived here today on board the Admiralty yacht Enchantress. Immediately after arrival Mr. Duff Cooper paid a visit to the President of the Danzig. (Transocean).

BRITISH BOXER INDEMNITY FUND APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT YEAR

PROF. L. FROBENIUS DEAD

Frankfurt-on-Main, Aug. 10. Professor Leo Frobenius, well-known German explorer and authority on African ethnology, died on Tuesday at his country home in Biganzone on Lake Maggiore in Italy at the age of 65. Since 1934 Professor Frobenius has been Director of the Frankfurt Museum of Ethnology and African Archive. (Transocean).

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SUFFERED HEAVY DAMAGE IN RAID



The above picture shows the French Roman Catholic Cathedral in Canton which suffered very heavy damage during a Japanese air raid on Monday. Left to right:—A Roman Catholic priest, a secretary of the French Consul and the French Consul.

Session Of Soviet Parliament

Moscow, August 10.

Taking the cue from Pravda and Journal de Moscou all other newspapers, commenting editorially on the opening of the second session of the Soviet Parliament, devote much space to the Far Eastern conflict.

This is the first time the situation has been commented on in the press generally thus indicating the growing importance attached thereto.

Pravda stresses an extract from a New York magazine article in which General Minami, Korean Governor, is described as the leader of militarists, extremists and the virtual dictator of Japan. (Continued on Page 9)

British Liner Held Up In Straits

London, August 10.

The Union Castle liner Llandaff Castle was held up in the Straits of Gibraltar by an insurgent armed trawler which fired a shot over the bows of the vessel and delayed it for fifteen minutes.

A Dutch cruiser, which was in the vicinity, came up and the insurgent trawler steamed away. (Reuter Bulletin).

PROTEST TO FRANCO

London, August 10.

The British Government has protested to General Franco against the bombing and sinking of the British ship Lake Lugano off Palermo.

The British Government alleged that the bombing was deliberate and will reserve the right to claim compensation. (Reuter Bulletin).

\$10,000 For Scholarships And Exchange Chair In University Of Hong Kong

\$20,000 FOR MUI FONG COLLEGE

Chungking, August 10.

A detailed schedule of appropriations from interest collected during the 26th fiscal year ending July 31 last on loans and advances allowed by the British Boxer Indemnity Board to various Government and private organs and enterprises has just been mapped out and approved by the Board.

The results of last year's loans and advances from the Indemnity Fund have been highly satisfactory despite the war situation which of necessity affected to some extent the collection of interest.

According to the new schedule, the appropriations for the current year, amounting to \$3,700,000, will be devoted chiefly to the extension of relief to the nation's technical experts in distress and also to the development of education in the border provinces.

Particular attention will this year be devoted to the education in the southwest provinces, as ample provisions, amounting to \$400,000 have already been made for the promotion of education in the northwest provinces.

IN WAR AREAS

The largest item in the appropriations list is one for \$500,000 to the Joint Southwest and Northwest Universities, which were established to accommodate the thousands of college students thrown out of class from colleges and universities in the war areas.

The Academia Sinica (Central Research Institute), the National Peking Research Institute, and the

National Central, Chungshan, Wuhan, and Chekiang Universities each are given a subsidy of \$50,000, amounting to a total of \$300,000. Both the National Peking University and the National Tung-chi University get \$30,000 in this year's schedule.

The Yenching University at Peking, the Amoy University at Amoy, and the University of Nan-king now at Chengtu each received a subsidy of \$20,000.

Various other universities and colleges throughout the country, national, provincial, or private, receive grants-in-aid varying from \$20,000 to \$3,000.

HONG KONG AIDED

The Mui Fong College for Girls, Hong Kong, comes in for a share of \$20,000.

Many educational and technical and scientific research institutes scattered in all parts of the country, receive subsidies ranging from \$10,000 to \$20,000.

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JAPANESE HANKOW ADVANCE TO COMMENCE SHORTLY

But Troops Insufficient According To The Chinese Military Circles

STARTING POINT STILL A MATTER OF CONJECTURE

HANKOW, AUGUST 10.

FIGHTING STILL CONTINUES ON BOTH BANKS OF THE YANGTSE but the position remains unchanged, according to reports here. Chinese military circles expect that the Japanese big scale offensive against Hankow will commence shortly but it is thought that the starting point still remains a matter of conjecture since, in the opinion of the Chinese, the number of Japanese troops concentrated on the Yangtse is still insufficient to enable the advance to be undertaken simultaneously on both banks of the river.

Hitherto the Japanese have endeavoured by means of isolated attacks, at different points, to discover the weak spots in the Chinese lines which might afford the enemy the possibility of breaking through.

Carrying out of these tactics, however, necessarily demanded considerable time and the Chinese have thus been enabled to bring up reinforcements and strengthen their positions, which are now regarded as very strong. Hence the Chinese military authorities take an optimistic view of the situation.

Regarding the eventual Japanese advance on Nanchang, it is pointed out here that the mountainous region in the neighbourhood of Taihan is strongly fortified, and that the Japanese flanking attack from the Poyang Lake would consequently encounter great difficulties. (Transocean).

T.A. STRENGTH NOW 186,528

London, Aug. 10.

It is stated that the strength of the Territorial Army on August 1, 1938, amounted 186,528 officers and men of all ranks, which is the highest level reached since 1925, when the total strength was 201,707.

The number of recruits enrolled during July was 4,098 which also represented the highest figure obtained since 1925. (Transocean).

TURKISH NAVAL COMMISSION IN LONDON

London, August 10.

The Turkish Naval Commission, headed by the Under-Secretary of State in the Ministry of Marine, Captain Salt Halman, arrived here today. As already announced the Commission will negotiate with representatives of the British Government and British ship-building firms concerning the supply of a number of vessels to the Turkish Fleet conformably with the provisions of the recent Anglo-Turkish credit agreement.

It will be recalled that under that agreement Turkey obtained credit for £18,000,000 of which £8,000,000 were earmarked for rearmament. (Transocean).

Attacking Strength Is Spent

Hankow, August 10.

The Japanese drive on Hankow has met with such stiff resistance during the past week that the Japanese attacking strength is already spent, according to Chinese military circles.

It is stated that the Japanese suffered such heavy casualties that they must wait for further reinforcements and reorganisation before they can launch further attacks.

Two Japanese colonels were killed in the Yangtze hostilities. One was killed on the south bank, the south-east of Shaho, when the Japanese attempted to break through the Chinese right wing holding positions extending from the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway to Poyang Lake.

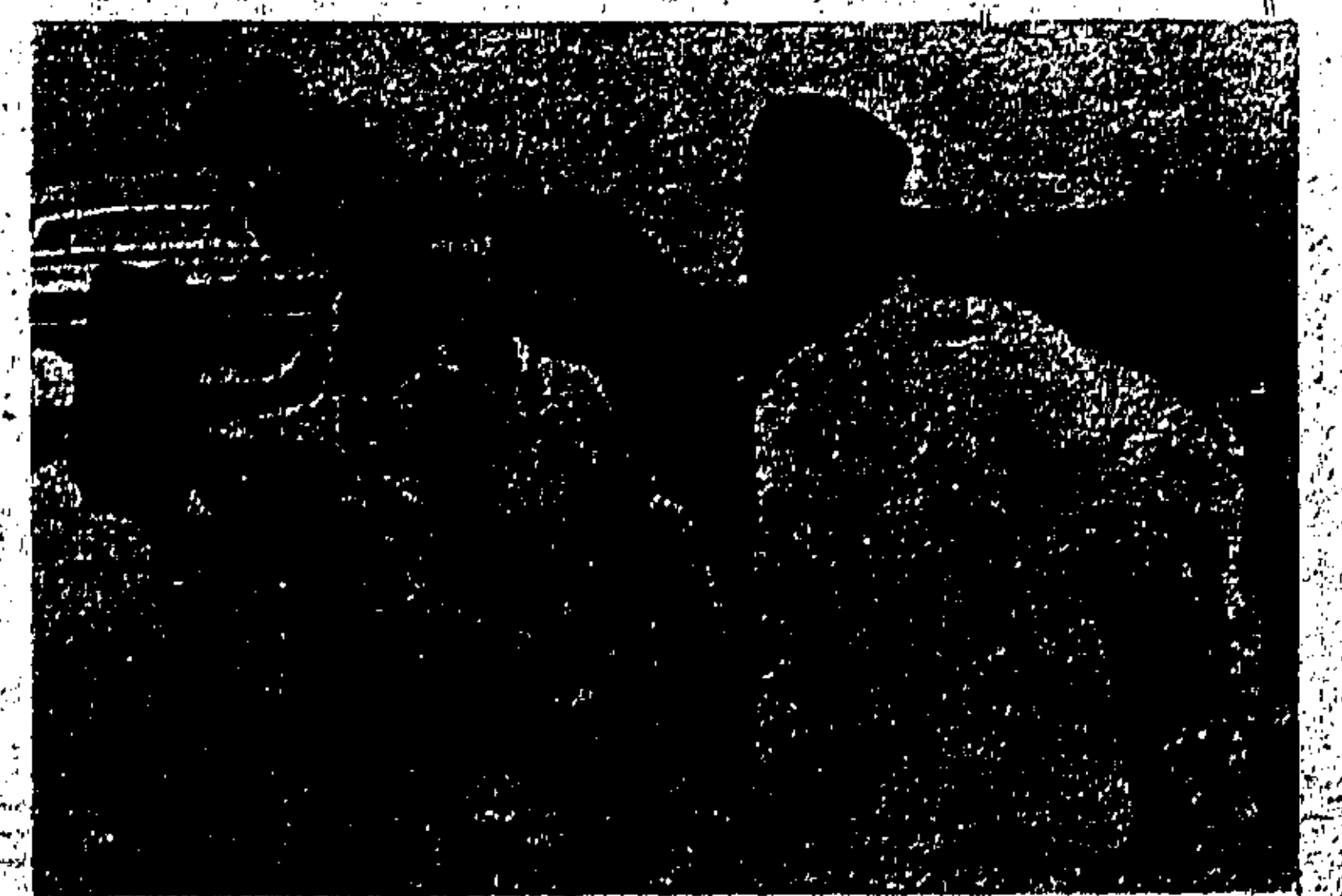
The other was stated to have been killed on the north bank, north of Chienhsan, during the Chinese counter-offensive in that sector. (Reuter).

CANOIST IN MISHAP IN HARBOUR

Herr Pappenberger, the well-known German canoeist, who is paddling round the world and who has been in the Colony for some time, met with an accident while cruising in the harbour yesterday.

His canoe was run down by a motorboat and Herr Pappenberger and his Chinese assistant were in the water for about twenty minutes before being picked up by Junk No. 1313.

CANDID CAMERA AT KAI TAK



Snapshot taken at the Kai Tak Airport.

PAN-AMERICAN AIRWAYS



Picture shows the landing stage for the Pan American Airways Clipper flying-boats at Kai Tak Airport.

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CAKE-MAKING AT HOME

VICTORIA SANDWICH

Take the weight of three eggs in butter, castor sugar, and flour half a teaspoonful baking powder, and a few drops of vanilla essence. Cream the butter and sugar together thoroughly, until very light, and almost white. Add the well-whisked eggs a little at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition.

Sieve the flour and baking powder together three times, and then add this gradually to the rest of the mixture, turning it in with a light, folding movement, and using a wooden spoon.

Have ready two sand-wich-cake tins well greased and dusted out with sieved flour. The tins should be about 7 in. in diameter and 1 in. deep. Bake in a moderate oven, until a very delicate brown, spreading the mixture over the tins evenly, with a slight hollow in the middle, so that when cooked they will be of an even height.

Turn out from the tins onto two sheets of white paper, previously well dusted with sieved castor sugar and placed on a wire rack. When cool the two cakes may be sandwiched together with any kind of jam, or home-made lemon curd, and the top dusted over with castor sugar sprinkled from a dredger.

TO MAKE LEMON CURD

6 limes.
8 ozs. loaf sugar.
Yolks of 6 eggs, and the whites of four.
4 ozs. fresh butter.
8 ozs. castor sugar.

Wash the limes, removing any brown specks on the outside with a brush if necessary. Dry them thoroughly, and then rub them all over with the loaf sugar to extract the flavour from the oil in the skins. Beat the eggs thoroughly, and melt the butter over a very gentle heat until oiled. Put all the ingredients into an earthenware jar, or a jug, and stand in a saucepan of hot water, adding the strained juice of the limes. Place on a very low flame, and stir all the time until the sugar is dissolved and the mixture has thickened. When the whole is like a thick cream, remove the jar from the hot water, and stir gently until the mixture is fairly cool. Immediately place in dry jars, and cover down with parchment or waxed paper. The greatest care must be taken to prevent the mixture coming to boiling point, and stirring must be continued throughout the cooking process.

Victoria sandwich mixture is excellent for making into small fancy cakes. When required for this purpose, it should be baked in a Swiss-roll tin, and made the day before the cakes are wanted, as it should

be a day old before cutting up into small fancy shapes. Make just as before, spreading evenly over the tin, and turn onto a folded cloth, and then back on to a wire rack to cool. If turned direct onto the rack the top becomes marked with the crisscross of the wires, and unless the cakes are covered with icing this spoils their appearance. In turning out, and onto the rack, care must be taken to prevent breaking the cake, as it is thin and liable to break or crack across unless done very carefully.

The cake may be covered with boiled or glace icing, and when this is set it may be cut into fancy shapes—oblong, triangular, or diamond-shape—using a sharp knife dipped frequently into boiling water and quickly dried. This prevents cracking the layer of icing on top. Or the shapes may first be cut, as desired, and then fancy icing piped on in various ways, and decorated with chopped nuts, glace cherries, angelica and so on.

Small chocolate cakes may be made, using the same mixture, and adding 3 ozs. scraped chocolate, dissolved in about two tablespoonfuls of water over a gentle heat, until almost boiling. Stir constantly while on the fire, and beat until cool before adding, which should be done just after the eggs have been beaten into the butter and sugar cream. These cakes should be covered with chocolate butter or glace icing, and decorated with glace cherries or crystallised violets. Or they may be spread with the chocolate butter icing, and thickly covered with chopped walnuts or roasted almonds chopped fine.

CHEESE AND TOMATO

A piquant filling is made as follows.

Most a nut of butter or margarine in a pan, stir in a tablespoonful of flour, then add 1 pint milk. Stir until the mixture boils and thickens. When cool, add 1 lb. grated cheese, the yolk of an egg, salt, and pepper to taste, and a pinch of chopped parsley. Stir the stiffly whisked white into a ring of hard-boiled egg on the top, and sprinkle with a very little chopped parsley. Served cold, these tarts are a good idea for a buffet supper.

SARDINE AND EGG

Mash the sardines with sieved hard-boiled egg, season with mayonnaise and a few drops of lemon juice.

Half fill the patty cases, place a ring of hard-boiled egg on the top, and sprinkle with a very little chopped parsley. Served cold, these tarts are a good idea for a buffet supper.

OLD DUTCH RECIPES

SOUP

1 tablespoon semolina (farina) in 1 teaspoon butter until it was golden brown, pouring over this.

3 cups good stock, previously heated to boiling point, stirring constantly and seasoning with salt and pepper to taste. (The stock was made the day before from 2 or 3 soup bones.)

1 good-sized carrot, 1 medium onion, 1 small turnip, 1 peppercorn and 1 blade of mace. These were brought to the boil and simmered gently for four or five hours in 5 cups water.

After the soup serve **GREEN BEANS AND BACON**

Soak 3 cups dried French beans (kidney beans), for wash 3 cups French beans, which have been preserved in layers of salt, for half an hour or until the water is no longer salty.

Cover the beans with 3 cups cold water, add 1 piece of fat pork, about 4 by 6 inches square, and 2 inches deep, or a piece of fat bacon the same size, and cook until done. Slice it thinly and arrange the slices around the drained and seasoned beans piled high on a dish.

With this the traditional and national potato dish. **ROSCOTT** 3 medium-sized potatoes per person, boiled in their skins till tender, drained, cooled and, when really cool, skinned. Slice them thinly and fry in a mixture of 1 part lard 1 part butter heated smoking hot in a frying-pan. Let the potatoes brown a little and serve very hot. A little Chopped onion is excellent mixed with this.

To end the meal choose favourite dessert.

LEMON CREAM

Break 3 eggs into a pan and beat them with 1 cup sugar till lemon-coloured and thick. Add 1 cup lemon juice and 1 cup water and continue whisking the mixture over a medium heat till it begins to thicken. Remove from the stove and allow to cool, beating occasionally to prevent a skin forming. Serve very cold in individual glasses.

Recipes For Hot-Days

TOMATO JUICE COCKTAIL

Juice from one large tin of tomatoes, 2 tablespoons sugar, juice and grated rind of a lemon, 1 1/2 tablespoons catsup, pinch of salt. Strain tomatoes through sieve, add the grated rind and juice of lemon, and finally the salt and sugar. Stand on ice till required. Children may be given a glass of the pure tomato juice without the catsup or flavourings.

RABBIT CUTLETS

Four cups diced cold roast rabbit, 1 cup fresh mushrooms, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, onion juice, bread raspings, or crushed wheat cereal.

Saute the mushrooms in butter and a little onion juice. Make thick sauce, dissolving butter and flour, and adding a little good stock. Add seasoning to taste and let stand overnight. Add the finely diced rabbit, shape into cutlets and dip in egg and raspings or crushed cereal, and fry in hot butter. Serve with a thick creamy sauce.

DANISH APPLE CAKE

One and a half pounds of apples, 1 pint water, pinch of salt, 1 lb. butter, 1 lb. sugar, 1 teaspoon lemon juice, 9 ounces toast crumbs. Cook apples with the salt, water and enough sugar to sweeten till soft and thick. Melt butter and 1 pound sugar together, and add lemon juice, and toast crumbs and stir till golden brown and finely separated; take care not to burn. Cool and spread in alternating layers in deep glass bowl.

Chill and top with thick whipped cream when ready to serve.

JELLIED TOMATO AND POTATO SALAD

Four cups tinned tomatoes, 2 peeled sliced medium onions, 1 diced celery, 2 1/2 teaspoons salt, 3 cloves, 1 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons granulated gelatin, 1 cold water, 3 cups diced cooked potatoes, 1 cup mayonnaise, 2 tablespoons vinegar, 2 tablespoons minced onion, lettuce, 2 cups cooked peas, 1 cup French dressing. Combine the tomatoes, sliced onions, half of the seeded green pepper, diced, 1 cup of the celery, 1 teaspoon of the salt, the cloves, and pepper. Cook 15 minutes and then press through a sieve. Sprinkle the gelatin on top of the cold water, then add to the hot tomato mixture and stir until dissolved. Cool and chill until the mixture begins to set. Meanwhile combine the potatoes, 1 cup diced celery, 1 the seeded green pepper, diced, the mayonnaise, vinegar, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, and the minced onion.

Fold into the tomato mixture after it has begun to set, turn into one large ring mould or individual ring moulds that have been rinsed in cold water, and chill until firm. Unmould on lettuce and serve with the peas, marinated with the French dressing, in the centre. Serves six to eight.

PORK CHOPS AND POTATOES A LA CARNATION

6 potatoes
1 1/2 tsp. salt
Few grains pepper
1 tsp. butter
1 cup Carnation Milk
1 1/2 cups water
2 bread crumbs
2 tsp. flour
6 pork chops
1 egg
Scald Carnation and water in a double boiler. Pare and slice potatoes in 1 inch slices. Place a layer in a buttered baking dish, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dredge with flour, and dot over with bits of butter. Repeat and add the scalded milk until it can be seen through the top layer. Dip pork chops in egg and roll in bread crumbs. Place on top of potatoes and bake in a moderate (350°F) oven until the potatoes are soft. Serves 6.

Without the anti-Japanese educational policy pursued by the former regime, Peking University will reopen in September, one year after it was closed at the start of the hostilities. Four departments, including physics, engineering, medicine and agriculture, will be opened under the new policy. New students are being invited. They will be admitted after passing an entrance examination to be held on August 15 and 16.

TRICK ENDS IN DEATH

A sleight-of-hand trick has led to the death of a 43-year-old Brisbane dentist named Mr. Vivian Hensley at Brisbane, Queensland.

He was amusing his wife and son with a few tricks, including what he called his "sword-swallowing" act.

While performing it, Mr. Hensley accidentally swallowed a rusty razor blade.

Four days later he was dead. After the accident Mrs. Hensley took her husband to the local doctor, who fed him with cotton wool and sent him to the general hospital by ambulance.

After an X-ray examination, an operation was performed, but the blade in the meantime had shifted, and could not be found. He died before another operation could be performed.

GIRL AS CHURCH MINISTER

By unanimous vote the Toronto conference of the United Church of Canada has received a Finnish girl as a minister.

She is Miss Elma Silvia Hjelt, who had some years ago become an ordained minister of the Congregational Church in Illinois.

Several ministers spoke in support of Miss Hjelt, declaring that she had done good work in converting communists to Christianity in missionary endeavour in Northern Ontario.

Rev. Salem Bland, Toronto, said: "No people who come to us from Europe give more promise than the Finns. The Finnish people are wavering between communism and Christianity, and if they can be won for Christ, they will be an important factor among the foreign peoples in Canada."

But Mr. Ostrer's urgency shows that it is coming before long.

THE PROGRESS OF TELEVISION

The news that the television cable to Birmingham is now in working order and that the B.B.C. proposes soon to open a station there brings the new means of communication a step nearer to the millions who live in the Midlands, says the Manchester Guardian.

The range of twenty-five miles claimed for the Alexandra Palace projector in London has in fact been considerably exceeded under favourable conditions, but it cannot be relied upon beyond that limit.

A relay to Birmingham should serve "viewers" within a similar radius of that city, and Manchester and Newcastle extensions are being prepared.

Meanwhile the entertainment world begins to look eagerly at television's attractions. Mr. Mark Ostrer, chairman of the Gaumont-British Picture Corporation, has just urged at the company's annual meeting that the time is ripe for the Government to permit those cinemas that are willing and

able to do so to show the televised programme.

LARGE-SCREEN

Apparatus for the showing of large-screen television is available. Mr. Ostrer states that his company could proceed at once to present it and that picture-house audiences would welcome it.

It may be doubted whether, when the novelty had worn off, studio programmes televised would compete with those of normal picture-houses; but for witnessing in the picture-houses of the country the chief ceremonial and sporting events of the day as they occur there will from the start be a great and a growing public.

Mr. Ostrer thinks its response should now begin to be tested and has asked the B.B.C. so far without success, for permission to show television in his company's houses. Much remains to be done both on the technical side and in the adjustment of copyright before large-screen picture-house television will be generally possible.

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Huge Civil Air Guard Plan

WOMEN EXPECTED TO RESPOND

Thousands of women flying enthusiasts, willing and anxious to play their part in national defence, are expected to respond at once to the invitation issued recently by Sir Kingsley Wood, the Air Minister, to join the new civil air guard.

The announcement has opened to women as well as to men throughout the country the opportunity of learning to fly at small cost and taking part in the multifarious activities of air defence.

Cost of membership of the civil air guard section of a club is limited to 2s. 6d. a year.

Making his announcement, Sir Kingsley Wood said that the civil air guard would provide throughout the country a body of men and women with a knowledge of flying to assist the R.A.F. in time of emergency.

There are only two conditions. One is that those already committed to the Navy, Army, or regular or reserve Air Force duties, are barred.

The other is that members must understand that in emergency, their services would not be used exclusively for piloting—they might be employed in other useful ways in connection with aircraft.

Subject to the conditions mentioned, the organisation is open to anyone irrespective of sex from 18 to 50.

FLYING CLUBS

Recruiting will be through recognised flying clubs (of which there are some 70 in Britain with a membership of around 10,000 to 12,000). These clubs will now have their Government subsidy increased to £50 for every member trained on standard planes and £30 on light planes. Subsidy limit is £2,000 for each club.

The scheme will mean that everybody can now learn to fly for as little as 2s. 6d. an hour.

People of normal ability will be able to become pilots as cheaply as they can become qualified car drivers—£2 2s. 6d. is the estimated cost of a course to get an "A" pilot's licence.

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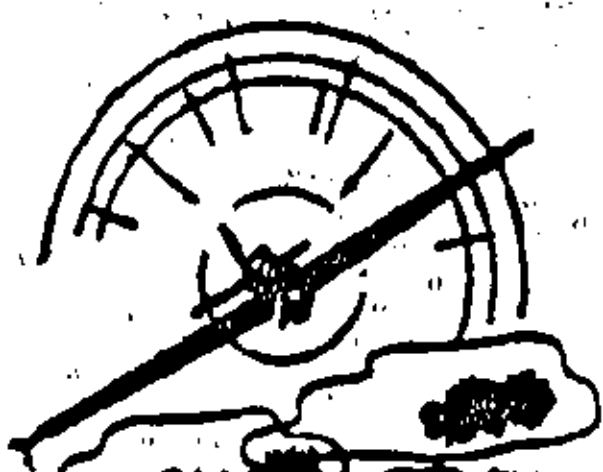
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SERVICE NEWS

ROYAL NAVY

The following appointments are notified:

Capt. E. N. Syre to Rodney, in command, Aug. 1. A. R. Halfhide, to Cardiff, in command, on recom.

Lt.-Cdr. D. A. H. Hornell, M.V.O., to Excellent, July 8. H. G. T. Padfield, to Pembroke, July 10. J. B. G. Temple, to Salamander, in command, 18. L. E. Northcott, to Ramillies, 19.

Payr. Lt.-Cdr. R. E. Sweny, to Boscawen, Aug. 8.

Lts.: C. E. Sheen, to Wildfire; R. E. Hutchins, to H33, July 1; H. C. C. Tanner, to Grafton; W. L. O'Mara, to Salamander, 5; S. W. Wright, to Resolution, 10; P. G. Newton, to Gossamer, 24; K. R. S. Leadley, to Royal Oak, 18; L. J. Sedgwick, to Capetown, 25; and to Cardiff, on transfer.

Payr. Lt. D. L. Blowers, to Hood, Aug. 2.

Sub-Lt. G. A. Milward, to Grenville, July 11.

Proby. Sub-Lt. B. M. T. Hill, to Cornwall, July 7.

Cd. Bosn.: H. J. Monk, to Victory, July 21.

Cd. Supply Officer: E. Godfrey, to Wildfire, Aug. 1.

Gunner: R. Valentine, to Afridi, July 7.

PROMOTIONS

Lts.: T. P. Coode (F-Lt., R.A.F.), W. D. Dunkerley, A. O. Johnson, P. J. Knowling, to rank of Lt.-Cdr., July 1.

Lt. (Retd.): E. A. C. Barker, S. H. Vennard, to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (etd.), July 30.

Sub-Lt. (E.): H. G. Southwood, to rank of Lt. (E.), July 1.

Payr. Sub-Lts.: R. E. D. A. James, G. A. W. Haslam, W. C. F. Grant-Dalton, to rank of Payr. Lt., July 1.

THE ARMY

BALUCH REGIMENT

The annual dinner of the Baluch Regiment (King George V's Own) was held recently at the Langham Hotel. There were present:

Field-Marshal Sir Claud Jacob; Major-Gens. A. le G. Jacob, W. M. Southey, A. A. Gibbs; Brig.-Gen. C. O. Tanner; Brigs. I. C. Grettton, A. L. Johnston; Cols. A. S. Awret, A. L. Barrett, C. Chauncy, P. H. Dyke, W. J. Mitchell, W. M. Macleod, G. A. Pim, G. H. Russell; Lt.-Cols. R. G. Bacon, B. de L. Brock, C. C. Crick, O. A. Chaldecott, R. Despard-Davies, J. Eastwood, G. H. Faithfull, B. Holbrook, C. A. James, R. M. Jacob, A. B. Merriman, E. A. W. Lake, P. R. Quayle.

Majors: K. H. Allen, S. Blakeney, H. G. Cooper, J. R. Gregory, J. R. James, H. Lynch-Staunton, G. R. Mountain, R. Mildon, W. I. Lang, J. N. Soden, J. Teague; Capt. A. G. Chitty, A. G. H. Jaynes, B. Prince, F. R. Stanger, R. S. L. Tabourdin, L. E. Wilson; Mr. G. T. Chaloner, Mr. S. G. Sparrow, Mr. L. P. Sen, Mr. W. S. Thatcher, Sir Patrick Cadell, Capt. R. L. Yates and Lt.-Col. Archdale were guests.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

RECRUITING RETURNS

Results for the first week of the new recruiting campaign for 31,000 pilots, observers, airmen and boys, show that 1,731 airmen have already applied for admission and 628 have been drafted to the Reception Depot at West Drayton.

Returns from the 11 main recruiting offices are:

Belfast	65	Plymouth	52
London	408	Birmingham	127
Newcastle	89	Manchester	162
Bristol	87	Leeds	158
Liverpool	144	Cardiff	60
Glasgow	204		

Applications for pilots totalled 138 and 53 for observers.

U.S. CANON FOR JERUSALEM

The Rev. Charles T. Bridgeman has been installed as Canon, Resident of the Church of St. George the Martyr (The Anglican Cathedral) in Jerusalem.

The Bishop in Jerusalem, Dr. G. F. Graham-Brown, installed the new Canon into the "Oliver" stall. Mr. Bridgeman succeeds the Rev. Dr. Herbert Danby, who held the post of Resident Canon for many years until two years ago when he was appointed Regius Professor of Hebrew at Oxford University.

SINGAPORE NOW

LESS CRUEL TO ANIMALS

Only Isolated Cases Now

Singapore people are treating their animals much better than they used to do, writes a Malaya Tribune correspondent.

Following up a court case of cruelty to animals, I went to the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Institute to find whether the shocking state of affairs that existed in 1933 had improved.

It has. Beyond all recognition. Five years ago the staff of the "Society" was almost desperate. Because—

Because there was so much cruelty that the officers simply could not find the time to deal with all the cases.

Day after day the same tragic tale was told. A dog, a cat, a bullock—day after day cases were brought in of animals badly mutilated and battered.

These cases still occur. Make no mistake about that. You who read this may love your animal pet, but somebody a few yards away may have a streak of fiendish cruelty in him.

But the cases are on the wane and for the most part the old cruelties of the past are—well, things of the past.

I thought that was one of the most cheering bits of news I heard.

An Inspector told me that in the past the worst offences were usually against dogs, but these, too, have now been practically stamped out, and the cases brought to justice are only isolated ones.

Perhaps a dog's life isn't so bad now.

EDUCATION AIMS IN CENTRAL EUROPE

Mr. J. T. Christie, Headmaster of Westminster School, distributed the prizes at Commemoration and Speech Day at Warwick School.

He said that education in Central Europe and other places was no longer training a boy—or a girl—to be a good citizen, to make a man of himself in mind, body and soul. It was no longer a question of teaching him to worship God and the great lessons of tolerance and appreciation of all that was best in England.

Their view of education was fiercely nationalistic and materialistic, and every boy and girl must act on it if they wished to keep their rights as citizens.

"Heaven forbid," he added, "that England should ever voluntarily adopt that view of education. Our traditions are of liberty and we owe a great deal to the past."

PRODUCE LARGEST PNEUMATIC TYRE



Huge Balloon Weighs 1200 lbs., Carries 15 Ton Load

Recently completed by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, was the largest pneumatic tire ever built by the rubber industry. The size of the tire is 24.00-32 and it weighs 1,200 pounds; it is of 30-ply construction and when inflated to 75 pounds air pressure it will have a load capacity of 25,000 pounds.

The tire has an outside diameter of 82 inches, is nearly a foot taller than the height of the average man, measures 25 inches in cross section, and has a rim diameter of 32 inches.

To vulcanize the giant rubber tyre required construction of a special mold weighing 13½ tons, while for the tube alone a mold weighing 10,500 pounds was needed.

Interesting facts in terms of weight figures are that the new 24.00-32 tyre weighs more than double the weight of the largest truck tyre that had been previously built—a 24.00-24 tyre weighing 500 pounds; also as compared with the 20x33.50-46 Goodyear built in 1937 for use on a marsh buggy that weighs land or water in swamp survey work, the new 24.00-32 outlasts these in weight by 850 pounds per tyre, and in inflation pressure as well.

CONQUEST OF ATLANTIC

Regular Services Soon

Recently New Yorkers had the satisfaction of reading London newspapers published the day previous. This was due to the enterprise of British publishers in putting batches of papers aboard the pickaback Mercury for the Transatlantic crossing. The papers sold in the streets like hot cakes, an after-theatre crowd paying as much as a dollar a copy. My own purchase was proffered to me by the manager of a restaurant as I was dining, writes an Observer correspondent.

Survey flights such as the Mercury made in preparation for Transatlantic passenger and mail services are now in full swing. I went out to Port Washington, on Long Island, with a hundred or so journalists and officials to greet the British seaplane. Next day I had an invitation to go out again and meet the German seaplane Nordmeer, engaged on a similar mission.

The Nordmeer was also catapulted from a mother ship, the Schwabenland, which discharged the seaplane in the Azores, whence it travelled non-stop to New York. At least, New York's oceanic airport, Port Washington. This lap is 2,397 miles, as compared with the Foynes-Montreal lap of 2,715 miles flown by the Mercury.

Both the British and the Germans intend to make other survey flights. The French, too, will inaugurate their own trials soon, so that, judging from the full schedule announced by these three nations, Port Washington, which is the air-base of the Pan-American Airways, will be a busy Transatlantic air port this summer.

PAN-AMERICAN'S START

Meanwhile Pan-American, which long ago completed its Transatlantic surveys, announces that it will be ready to go into scheduled trans-oceanic service "by the end of the summer." Six super choppers are in commission which will be the largest transport aircraft in the world.

The first is still undergoing engineering tests at the Boeing Airplane Company's base at Seattle. But preliminary water and air tests indicate that these giant 6,000-horse-power seventy-four-passenger flying boats will exceed every specification set for them.

The first flight will be via the Azores to Lisbon. In time the service will be extended to England, but under the reciprocal arrangements which have been concluded with Imperial Airways both systems will start this direct service simultaneously.

Reciprocity will even go to the extent of matching schedules. How frequent they will be has not yet been settled finally. Over the Pacific the Pan-American maintains a weekly service, but the 9,000-mile Pacific is, of course less travelled than the 3,000-mile Atlantic. There will also be a free and full interchange of radio and meteorological assistance.

At the same time the services will be in brisk competition for the coming Transatlantic air business. And it

Dope Found In Prayer-Books

Forty pounds of heroin, valued at more than £3,000, have been seized by the French police.

It was concealed in a number of Jewish prayer books, which were being sent to New York by Isaac Lefter, who, when arrested, declared that he was the Grand Rabbi of Brooklyn.

Secret information led the Paris police to watch the movements of Lefter, a tall, elderly Jew with a flowing iron-grey beard and large horn-rimmed spectacles, and a young man named Hermann Gottdiener, who accompanied him on frequent taxicab journeys in Paris.

BOOKS SEIZED

The couple were seen to drive to a bookbinder's shop in the Boulevard St. Germain, and from there to the post office in the Bourse building, where Gottdiener registered a number of parcels containing prayer-books printed in Hebrew to an address in New York.

Lefter and Gottdiener later returned to the bookbinder for a fresh parcel of prayer-books, and they were then arrested.

When the backs of the neat, leather-bound prayer books were opened, two small silk sachets were found. Each sachet contained 50 grammes of heroin.

Forty books were examined, and each contained its secret store of narcotics. The books which had been posted at the Bourse were seized, and on examination were found also to contain the drug.

"SAND FROM JERUSALEM"

The bookbinder pleaded ignorance. "Rabbi Lefter came to me," he said, "and gave me an order to bind all the prayer-books."

"He gave me the silk sachets and told me they contained sand from Jerusalem, and that they were to be bound in the books for the consolation of those Jews who could not go to Jerusalem."

"I believed him and carried out his instructions. He told me on no account to tell anybody what I was doing, as it was a religious secret."

Lefter and Gottdiener were arrested. Four days after

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Strange Mission To London!

Strange missions have left the shores of Ceylon before. But the strangest left recently in the Ranchi.

As a matter of fact there were two in one. They hope to meet Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, and tell him of the political ills of Ceylon, and prompt him for a prescription.

All those who form these deputations have gone to the Governor before on the same mission, and returning from Queen's House in Colombo, or Queen's Cottage in Nuwara Eliya, they made us believe this and promised them that.

If that be so, one naturally asks the question, "why go further?"

"And why not?" A good-hall day in England is not to be scoffed especially when it does not touch all pockets equally.

So, three musketeers from the State Council, Mr. H. W. Amarasinghe and Mr. George E. de Silva (Congress) and Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe (Labour) together with Mr. E. A. P. Wijeyaratne, a former Deputy Speaker, also representing Congress, and another, from Nawalapitiya, to support Mr. Goonesinghe, left Ceylon.

Lt.-General Eiki Tojo, Japanese Vice-Minister of War, has been visiting Peking. The streets were all cleared and were heavily policed when he was out visiting "government" and Japanese officials.

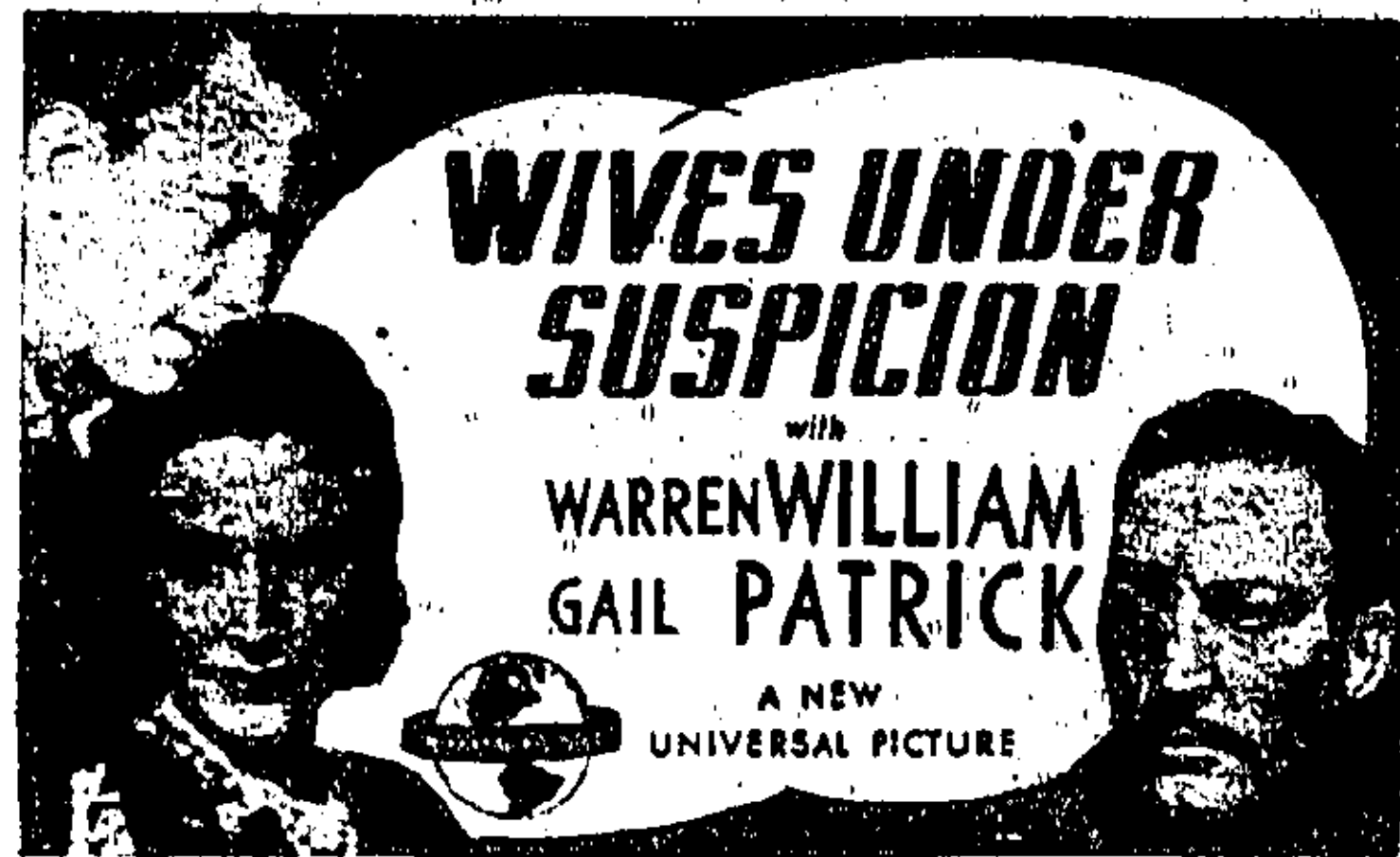
the police only just allowed the news to be published so as not to alarm accomplices.

Information has been telegraphed both to Jerusalem and to New York so that the police can inquire into the identity of persons who are alleged to have supplied and received the heroin.

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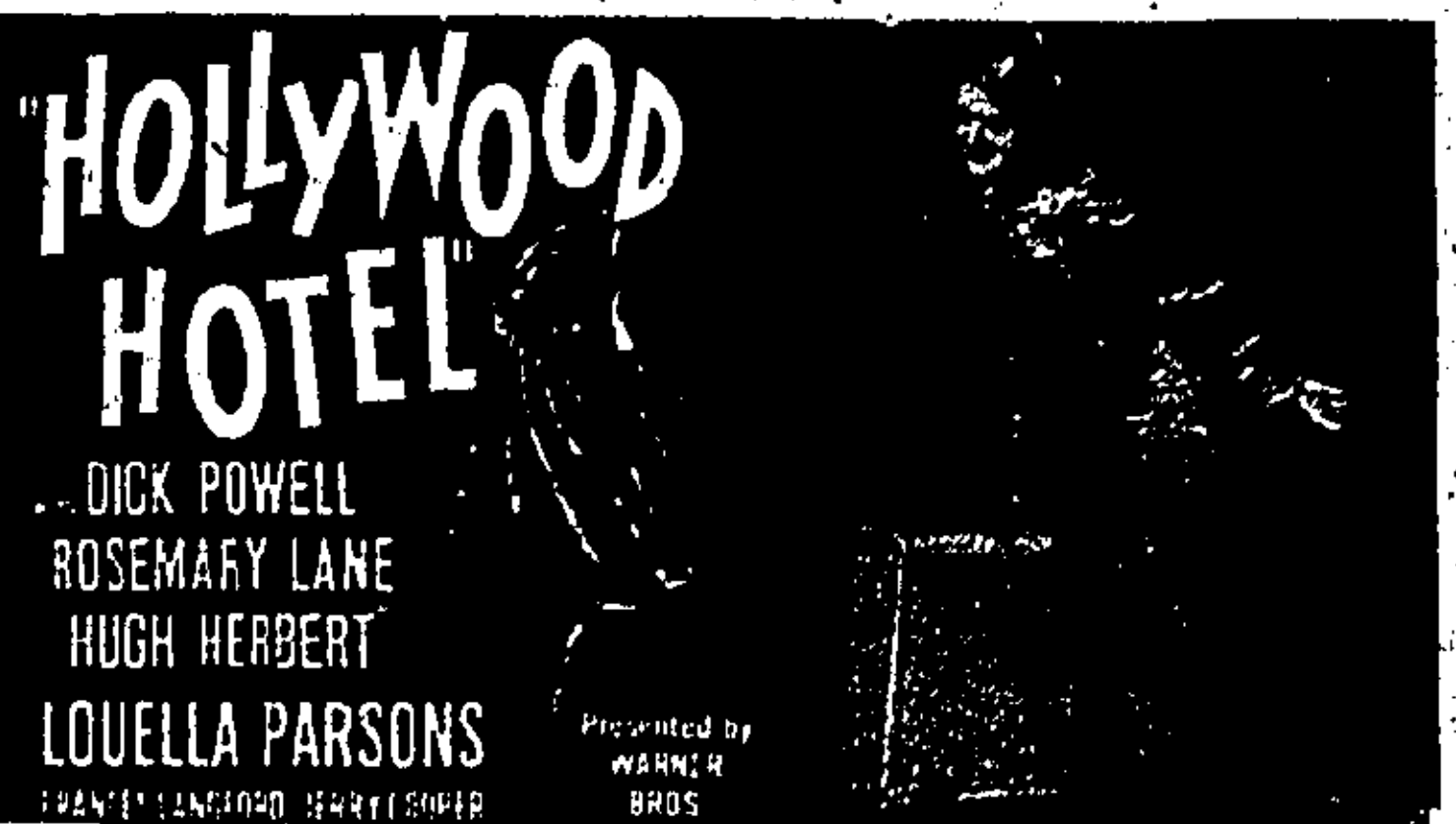
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HOTTER-THAN-SUN STAR FOUND?

Discovery of what may prove to be the hottest, densest, and at its maximum the brightest object ever known to mankind was pictured to natural scientists in convention at San Diego, California.
It is a star, weighing about 6,000,000 tons to the cubic inch, only 60 miles in diameter but 400,000,000 times as bright as the sun at its zenith.

Prof. Fritz Zwicky suggested it may prove to be one of the most far-reaching proofs of Einstein's theory of general relativity. He described it to the annual convention of the Pacific division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

This super nova (a "suicide star") was discovered last August, at the new Palomar Observatory near here, which

is to house the world's largest telescope in two years.
At its maximum it was the brightest object ever observed, 400,000,000 times as bright as the sun.
Now it is a million times as bright as the sun, but has shrunk from the size of the sun to a collapsed neutron star only 60 miles in diameter. Its surface temperature, Professor Zwicky believes, may be at least several hundred thousand degrees.

Today's Screenings

Hong Kong

KING'S: "Paradise For Two"
QUEEN'S: "Wives Under Suspicion"
ORIENTAL: "Midnight Taxi"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA: "Hawaii Calls"
STAR: "Danger-Love At Work"
MAJESTIC: "When Thief Meets Thief"

Coming

KING'S: "Love And Hisses"
QUEEN'S: "Tropic Holiday"
ORIENTAL: "Hollywood Hotel"
ALHAMBRA: "Go Chase Yourself"
STAR: "Dreaming Lips"
MAJESTIC: "Dead End"
"Riptide"

JACK HULBERT IN NEW FILM

Admirers of Jack Hulbert will see Britain's No. 1 comedian in his best form in "Paradise for Two," which is showing at the King's Theatre today.

Hulbert plays the part of a millionaire banker who is involved in a motor smash with a chorus girl, a role taken with charm and grace by Patricia Ellis, the beautiful Hollywood star. As a result of the collision Jeanette is mistaken for the millionaire's girl friend.

"Paradise for Two" is bright, cheerful entertainment, packed with amusing situations and snappy dialogue. It gives Hulbert, one of the finest parts of his career.

WIVES UNDER SUSPICION

Jealousy, with its attendant conflict, is the keynote of "Wives Under Suspicion," new Universal drama which opens at the Queen's Theatre today.

Directed by James Whale, the film introduces an all star cast headed by Gail Patrick and Warren William. It closely parallels a number of murder trials which have aroused wide interest in the last few years.

It drives home the lesson that justice sometimes must be tempered with mercy and bares in gripping detail many of the methods employed by certain noted prosecutors who are determined to obtain a conviction "at any price."

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY
Anniversaries and Holidays—St. Philomena, Half Quarter Day.
Auctions—Condemned Police and Fire Brigade Stores, etc., at A & B Blocks, Old Victoria Gaol, Old Bailey Street, 11 a.m.
Cinemas—(See Column 3 of this Page).
Lectures—Air Raid Precautions; Y.M.C.A., 11 a.m.; The Little Flower Club, 6 p.m.
Malls—(See Page 16).
Meetings—Victoria Chess Club, at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.
Miscellaneous—A.R.P. Exhibition at Union Church Hall, Kennedy Road; Opening by Lady Northcote, 2.30 p.m.; followed by a talk by Wing-Comdr. A. H. Steele-Perkins; Demonstration of Bandaging by St. John Ambulance Brigade Members, 3.30 p.m.; Talk by Wing-Comdr. A. H. Steele-Perkins, 6 p.m.; Demonstration by St. John Ambulance Brigade, 6.30 p.m.
Moon—Full Moon, 1.57 p.m. VII Moon, 16th Day.
Religious—Bible Conference in Cheung Chau.
Social—Cheero Club Bridge, 8 p.m.
Sports—(See Page 10).
Sunrise—5.58 a.m. Sunset—6.59 p.m.
Tides—High at 08.56 and 22.36; Low at 02.36 and 15.58.

TOMORROW
Moon—VII Moon, 17th Day.
Sunrise—5.58 a.m. Sunset—6.59 p.m.
Tides—High at 08.23 and 22.18; Low at 01.55 and 15.36.

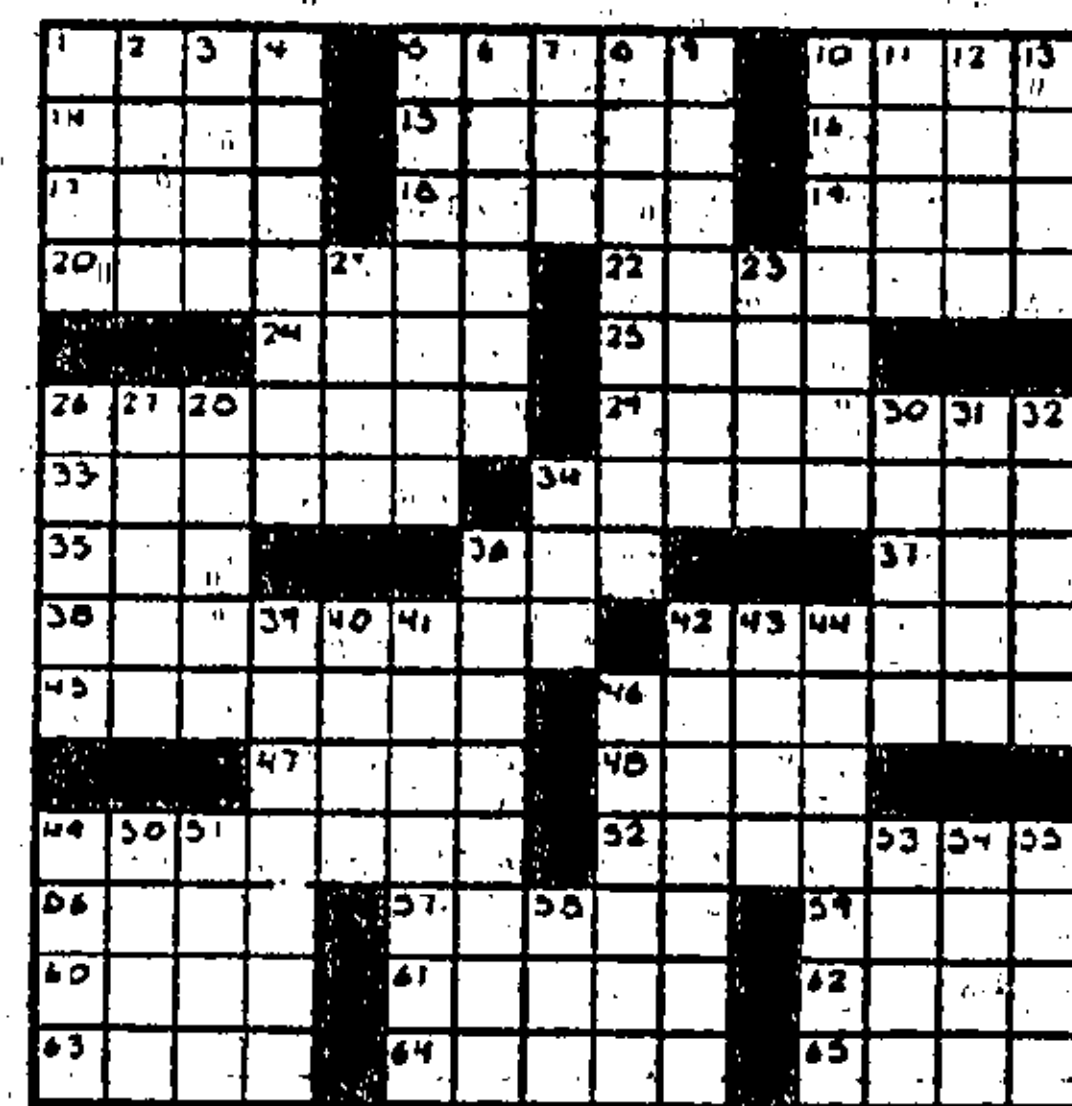
ARRIVAL AT HONG KONG



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1 Privation
5 Bury
10 Extend across
14 Instigate
15 Loop with running knot
16 Circle around luminous body
17 Deep, loud cry
19 Light variety of colours
19 Signal stages of history
20 Mocks
22 A silicate of aluminium
24 Challenge
25 Eject
28 Answers
29 Measured
31 Disinclined
34 Unite into a league
35 Cry of a rook
36 Title of a baronet
37 Be still!
38 Destitute of teeth
42 Withdraw
45 Discharge from restraint
46 One who rests
47 Utter shrilly
48 Sinful
49 Colonist
52 Persons injured by others
56 Unbleached colour
57 Gets up
59 Redact
60 Lower extremity of the face
61 A noose
62 An assumed part
63 A ponderous volume



DOWN
1 Rendered fat of swine
2 A wind instrument
3 Catch in a gunlock
4 A harsh noise
5 Resident physician in a hospital
6 Sounds
7 A measure of weight
8 One who prizes for worth
9 Recommended
10 A refuge
11 A state of Brazil
12 Exclamation of pity
13 Organ of smell
21 Platform of lecture room or church
23 Summon
26 One who contends in speed
27 Avoid dexterously
28 Stone cut for ornament
30 Appraisals
31 A musical exercise
32 Prevent
34 Exclamation of disgust
36 Guiding
39 Most remote known planet of solar system
40 Long, flexible appendage
41 To slander
42 Amended on re-examination
43 Heroic
44 Cutters attached to plow
45 Venerate
49 A faction
50 Resound
51 Neat or well ordered
53 Image of a divinity
54 320 rods
55 To boil
58 Sink in the middle
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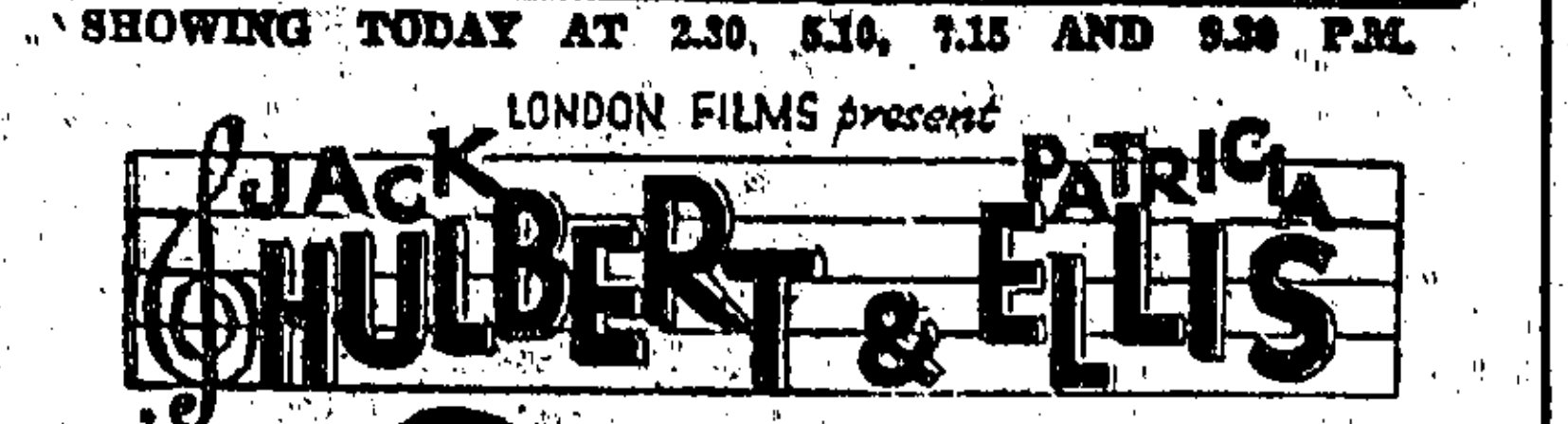
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This is the first oil shipment to Japan since the expropriation of foreign holdings in Mexico.—(Reuter).

GREEK KING TO VISIT LONDON

London, August 10.

King George of Greece will shortly pay a visit to London. It was reported yesterday by the Evening Standard.

It is believed the visit will be of a purely private character.

No confirmation or denial of the reported forthcoming visit of King Boris of Bulgaria to London could be obtained from the Foreign Office yesterday.

The Evening Standard also learns that M. Patijn, Dutch Foreign Minister, will also be in London in the near future.—(Transocean).

JAPANESE MOVE TROOPS FROM SHANSI, HONAN

Large-Scale Withdrawals Since Border Tension

Large-scale withdrawals of Japanese troops from Shansi and Honan since the outbreak of the Changkufeng incident are reported in Central News messages from Sian and Hankow.

Between 8,000 and 9,000 troops from various parts in east Honan are now massed at Kwei-teh, on the Lunghai Railway, 121 kilometres east of Kaileng and 150 kilometres west of Hsuehchow, and large quantities of military supplies are placed at the station ready to be transported elsewhere.

Three thousand Japanese at Pehsien on the Anhwei-Honan border, 300 Japanese at Tocheng in east Honan and the bulk of the Japanese troops at Liuho and Hsiaoopa railway stations, respectively 34 and 18 kilometres west of Kwei-teh, are also making preparations for withdrawal.

The Japanese troops on the Shansi-Honan border west of Tsincheng have mostly been withdrawn to the western section of the Taokou-Chinghua Railway in north Honan. Japanese troops and military supplies concentrated at Shuang, Po Ai and Tsin-yang have been sent either eastward or northward in increasing numbers and quantities.

BARRACKS AND HOSPITALS MOVED

It is estimated that over 6,000 Japanese soldiers had been withdrawn to the Po Ai area, in northern Honan, whence to Kuwo in south Shansi, from July 21 to August 1.

Since July 24, more than 20,000 Japanese troops have been moved to Linfen from south Shansi and over 10,000 shifted to the north from Linfen.

The Japanese barracks and aid hospitals in Taiyuan have been moved to Sain-chiawang, at the junction of the Peiping-Hankow Railway and the Chengtai Railway, 277 kilometres southwest of Peiping. About 10,000 Japanese troops remain in Taiyuan.

TROOP CONCENTRATIONS PLANNED

Hankow, August 10.

Fearing a possible Russo-Japanese war, General Terauchi, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese forces in China, is planning to concentrate troops in Suiyuan, Chihai and Shansi on the border of Inner and Outer Mongolia, according to a Peiping report just received here.

General Terauchi, the report revealed, recently made a tour to Kalgan and other places in Suiyuan to inspect the defence works and the irregulars under Li Shou-hsin and Wang Ying.—(Central News).

INCREASINGLY SERIOUS VIEW TAKEN OF CHANGKUFENG DISPUTE

First Test Of Strength Of Anti-Comintern Triangle

Moscow, August 10.

Since the failure to secure an agreement at the second meeting between M. Litvinoff, Soviet Foreign Commissar, and Mr. Shigemitsu, Japanese Ambassador, foreign observers are taking an increasingly serious view of the Far Eastern conflict.

It is generally agreed that in the beginning, the Soviet believed Japan would never risk a war on account of her commitments in China, but now the conviction is growing that Japan's military extremists are determined to force an issue despite the moderates in the Tokyo Government.

The Soviet Government, however, is equally determined not to recede from the stand it has adopted, even to avoid war.

The second session of the Supreme Soviet Council begins today, and before it concludes it may find itself confronted with a situation as serious as could be imagined.

"Indignation" resolutions demanding stern action against Japan continue to pour in from all parts of the country.—(Reuter).

GERMANY AS ALLY

Berlin, August 10.

The approach which it is understood that Japan has made to Germany to ascertain the extent of the support which the Reich is prepared to give in the event of a

clash between Japan and the Soviet constitutes the first test of strength to which the Anti-Comintern triangle has been subjected.

The result would seem to indicate that Germany's usefulness as an ally of Japan is most restricted, and such help as may be forthcoming from the Reich will be rather in the form of dispatch of munitions, especially in those categories in which Japan is known to be deficient.

There is no thought that Germany would go to the length of a Baltic blockade.

The conversation between Herr Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, and the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigenori Togo, is not reported in the German press, and thus the public is ignorant of its nature.

It is believed in political circles that the trouble will blow over like previous incidents.—(Reuter).

PESSIMISM IN BERLIN

London, August 10.

The Times' Berlin correspondent says that while it is earnestly hoped in the German capital that the Russo-Japanese border incident will not develop into a serious struggle, there are evident signs of pessimism.

The reported arrival of Marshal Vassily Blücher, Commander-in-Chief of the Soviet Far East Army, at the scene of operations is regarded as ominous and as a pos-



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sible indication that Stalin has made up his mind to engage Japan while she is still heavily committed in China.—(Reuter).

ITALIAN STAND UNKNOWN

Rome, August 10.

No information is available in either Italian or Japanese circles as to whether Italy has given Japan an assurance of moral support in the event of a Russo-Japanese war.

Official attitude towards the Far East affair continues to be one of complete reserve, though authoritative quarters express the desire to see the conflict localised and settled peacefully.

Reports in the Italian press are markedly anti-Soviet, in consonance with Italy's participation in the Anti-Comintern Pact.—(Reuter).

ITAGAKI SUMMONS CONFERENCE

Tokyo, August 10.

General Selshiro Itagaki, War Minister, last night summoned an urgent conference of army leaders which was attended, amongst others, by General Eiki, Tojo, Chief of Staff of the Kwantung Army, and Major-General Akito

Nakamura, Deputy War Minister and director of military affairs in the War Ministry, members of the General Staff of the Japanese Army were also called to a hasty conference.

Four Koreans were killed and ten severely injured, it is stated, during the last Soviet air raids.—(Transocean).

JAPANESE PROTEST

Moscow, August 10.

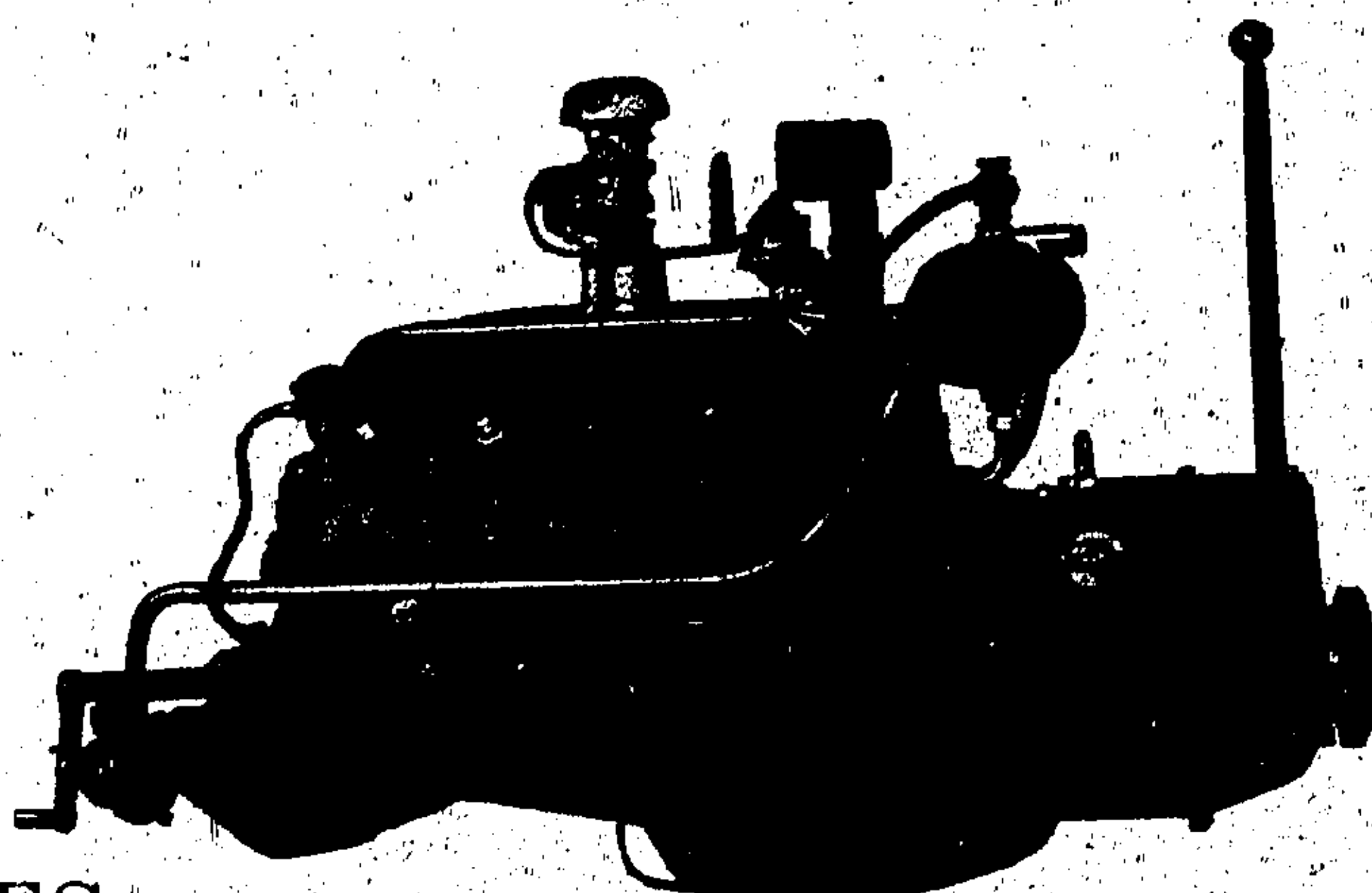
The First Secretary of the Japanese Embassy in Moscow, Mr. Jakawa, called at the Far Eastern Department of the Soviet Commissariat for Foreign Affairs yesterday and handed in a sharp protest in connection with the clash which occurred on Sunday near Lake Hanka, about 200 kilometres north of Changkufeng.

At this point, according to the Japanese version, a detachment of Soviet troops opened fire with machine-guns on the Japanese frontier guards but the attackers were beaten off, leaving behind them a number of dead and wounded. There was also a number of casualties on the Japanese side.

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Fast French Commercial Plane Lands In Colony

A large and distinguished gathering greeted the arrival of the Air France plane at Kai Tak Airport yesterday morning. Inaugurating a new service between Hong Kong and Hanoi, the machine, which is a tri-motored Dewoitine and named "Ville de Vientiane," was sighted at 11.37 a.m. and made a perfect landing five minutes later.

The plane brought ten passengers: — M. Martin, general manager of Air France in Indo-China; MM. Jollet and Bonfils, representing the Indo-China Government; Mr. Tsang, Chinese Consul-General in Tonkin; Mr. W. H. Chu, representing the Chinese Ministry of Communications; M. Baffeleuf, president of the Hanoi Chamber of Commerce; MM. Saumont, Israel and Duclaux, representing the Indo-China press; and Mlle. Bertrand, correspondent for L'Illustration and Figaro.

The plane was piloted by M. Maurens, with M. Guillot as chief engineer and M. Micheletti as radio operator.

In a speech of welcome at a reception held immediately after the plane's arrival, M. Dupuy, French Consul-General, said:—

CONSUL'S WELCOME

We have just witnessed this very moment the remarkable landing of a large French aeroplane.

The fact in itself for this aeroplane at Kai Tak, which has already seen so many pass by, is perhaps of little significance; however, this Dewoitine 333 is certainly the largest and most powerful aeroplane to land at Hong Kong.

But this aeroplane of Air France, which inaugurates so brilliantly the service between Hong Kong and Europe and which will reduce to six days the distance separating us from Paris and London, is today a symbol. It represents a tie that binds still closer this collaboration so much alive, so active and so cordial of the British Empire with France. "In this firm friendship which animates our two nations, founded on a community of interests and ideals," which His Excellency the Governor spoke of at the reception on the French National Day.

OTHERS GREETED

I congratulate warmly the Air France Company on its happy initiative to have extended its line from Europe to Hong Kong.

I am sure that our British, French and foreign friends present here today in such a large number will permit me to associate themselves in welcoming the gallant French crew who have piloted the first official Air France plane to this Colony.

I wish to greet and congratulate Mr. Martin, Managing Director of the Air France Company at Hanoi, as well as MM. Jollet and Bonfils, representing the Government General of Indo-China and Mr. Baffeleuf, Chairman of the Hanoi Chamber of Commerce.

I want to welcome the members of the Chinese Mission whose Government has been so interested in the realisation of this new line and the members of the French and Indo-Chinese press.

I wish the Air France Company, its directors and staff the happiest and greatest success.

MR. OHL SPEAKS

Speaking on behalf of Air France, Mr. R. Ohl, local agent for the company, said:—

The presence of such a large and distinguished gathering to welcome the inaugural flight of the new service is a proof of the esteem in which our Consul, who has kindly consented to preside at this reception, is held.

On behalf of Air France allow me to convey to you all the heartiest thanks of the Company.

Amongst the persons to whom our gratitude goes, I should like to mention Commander Hole, whose untiring efforts in his capacity as Director of the Air Services of this Colony, have given Hong Kong an airport of which all can be proud of.

KAI TAK PROGRESS

Our sincerest thanks go also to Mr. Moss, Superintendent of the Airport, whose geniality and courtesy are well known.

A few years ago, commercial aviation in Hong Kong was practically non-existent. At present Kai Tak is already becoming the first airport of the Far East and in the near future will be one of the leading airports in the world.

I am sure that you will agree with me that I could not end this message better than asking you to drink to the prosperity of Kai Tak Airport.

COLONY'S POSITION

Commander G. F. Hole, Director of Air Services then welcomed Air France on behalf of the Government, remarking that the geographical convenience of Hong Kong being fully realised in that more air lines were extending their services to this port.

Among others present at the reception were Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Brigadier A. B. Thomson, Mr. T. B. Wilson, Commodore and Mrs. E. B. C. Dicken, Mr. P. Delany, Lt.-Cmdr. A.D.S. Murray and Mr. E. M. Watts. The plane leaves on the return flight to Hanoi tomorrow, but no additional passengers or mail will be carried on this trip.

JAPANESE AIRCRAFT CARRIER SIGHTED

An aircraft carrier, thought to be Japanese, was sighted by the Air France machine on its way to Hong Kong yesterday, said M. Maurens, pilot of the plane.

It was about 30 miles from the Colony, and as a measure of precaution the plane changed its course slightly.

No planes were, however, sighted on the carrier.

M. Maurens stated that the journey had been very pleasant and nothing untoward occurred.

COMPANY'S RECORD

During 1937 the aircraft of Air France carried 10,503,355 kilograms of freight, 1,217,466 kilograms of luggage, 437,238 kilograms of mail, and 39,076 passengers, showing a considerable increase over the figures for the previous year which were 9,558,195, 1,016,894, 334,896, and 68,870 respectively.

The largest increase was in the number of passengers carried and it is interesting to note that although the increases were partly accounted for by the opening of new routes the improvement was general throughout all services.

The most popular service was that from Paris to London, 23,503 people being carried. This figure will probably be improved upon this year as a result of the recent introduction of the Bloch 220 machines and the use of these machines on other European services should have a favourable effect upon the figures for 1938.

FAR EAST ROUTE

Next in order of popularity was the service from Paris to Marseilles which was used by 10,798 people. Although only 799 passengers were carried on the Far East route, the increased capacity of the Dewoitine 338 aircraft which are now

Evasion Of Stamp Duty

Kowloon Store Fined \$500

Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday dealt severely with a number of persons summoned to appear before him for offences against the Stamp Ordinance.

Pleading guilty to splitting your receipts in order to avoid stamp duty, Leung Wan-sang, master of the Kowloon Store, Nathan Road, was fined \$500.

Deceptive Sergeant R. Grainger, attached to the Treasury, explained that two receipts for \$47.40 and \$47.35, had been split into three separate receipts for sums under \$20. A 10-cent stamp has to be affixed only to receipts for sums of money over \$20.

Wong Ki, a fruit dealer, was fined \$75 for failing to put a stamp on a receipt for \$21.50. He admitted a previous conviction for a similar offence.

Four other merchants were also fined \$50 each for offences against the Stamp Act.

Not having stamped a receipt for \$25.40, given to himself, Leung Chan-ting was fined \$25. Leung was the sub-manager of both the Luk Kwok and the Nathan Hotels. In these capacities he had to make out a receipt and give it to himself.

SURPRISE RAID BY REVENUE OFFICERS

Five Arrested In Wanchai

A surprise raid by revenue officers, led by Chief Preventive Officer W. J. Bulger and R.O. Ward, resulted in the arrest of five persons who were charged before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday with possession of raw opium.

Chan Ah-yau, a seaman, and three unemployed, Chiu Wing-chiu, Cheung Chung-bun and Kwan Hoi, were arrested at No. 169 Gloucester Road, third floor. A total of 225 taels of raw opium were found on the premises.

Chiu Wing-chiu pleaded guilty to the charge, admitting that the drug was his property, while the other three pleaded innocent. Revenue Officer I. L. Stephens, who prosecuted, did not accept their pleas and applied for an adjournment, which was granted.

Ng Yan-kam, who was taken into custody for the possession of 250 taels of raw opium at the house adjoining was also remanded for one week. The date fixed for hearing is August 19.

going into service should result in increases on this route.

During the past year, however, more freight was carried on this route than on any other operated by the company. More than a quarter of the mail carried by Air France was over this latter route, where 127,509 kilograms were transported as compared with 91,992 kilograms in the previous year.

NEW AIRCRAFT

The company has on order a total of 14 Bloch 220 aircraft for use on the European routes; ten of these have been delivered and are being used between Paris and London and Paris and Marseilles.

Twenty-one Dewoitine 338 machines have been ordered and so far ten have been delivered. In addition to being put into use on the Far Eastern service, some will be used on the European services and some in South America on the service to Santiago.

ALLEGED FALSE TRADE MARK

Lamp Company Summoned

MEANING OF "TAK SHEUNG" DISPUTED

Kong Kam, of No. 33, Gilman Street, was summoned before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of having in his possession, for the purpose of trade, electric lamp bulbs to which a false trade mark was applied.

The China United Lamp Company, represented by Mr. Wolfgang Latrille, manager of the company, were complainants, on whose behalf Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo for the defence pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Latrille said that acting on information received, he sent an office boy to the defendant to purchase two electric bulbs. He found that on the bulbs there were Chinese characters, "Tak Sheung" which he interpreted as "German Merchant," and on the labels there were also characters, "Tak Sheung Yeung Hong," which, in his opinion, meant that the goods were manufactured in Germany.

He stated that the bulbs were much inferior in quality to the Osram bulbs which were manufactured in Germany.

"VIRTUOUS"

Kong Kam, sole proprietor of the Tak Sheung Yeung Hong, said that he had been dealing in electric lamp bulbs for more than two years. He chose the name Tak Sheung because he interpreted the character tak as "virtuous" and not "Germany" or "German," as alleged by the prosecution.

He bought the bulbs at \$8.75 for 100 from Batten and Company, China Building, and sold them at 25 cents each, or sometimes at 12 cents or more. The bulbs when bought from Batten and Company, bore the trade mark of a triangle. He used a solution to wash it out and chopped the name of his firm, and the Ring Brand, because because the brand was rare in the market.

His bulbs were stored in his own house and not in a shop. He stated that he had no firm to do his business but was using his friend's shop for communication purposes.

The hearing was adjourned to Tuesday, August 16, when the defence will call expert evidence to show that "Tak Sheung" could imply a name for a firm and not exclusively mean "German merchant."

DRUG OFFENDERS SENTENCED

Sentence of six months' hard labour, without the option of a fine, was imposed by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on Tsui Ping, who pleaded guilty to the charge of possession of 229 heroin pills at Jervois Street.

Charged with the possession of two taels of opium, Chan Wah was given two months' imprisonment or a fine of \$100.

For keeping an opium divan at a house in Hillier Street and possession of 1.2 taels of opium, Leung Yau was fined \$80 or one month and \$75 or six weeks' imprisonment respectively.

Revenue Officer Stephens prosecuted.

TWO KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

There were 75 traffic accidents in the Colony last week, resulting in two persons being killed and 27 being injured.

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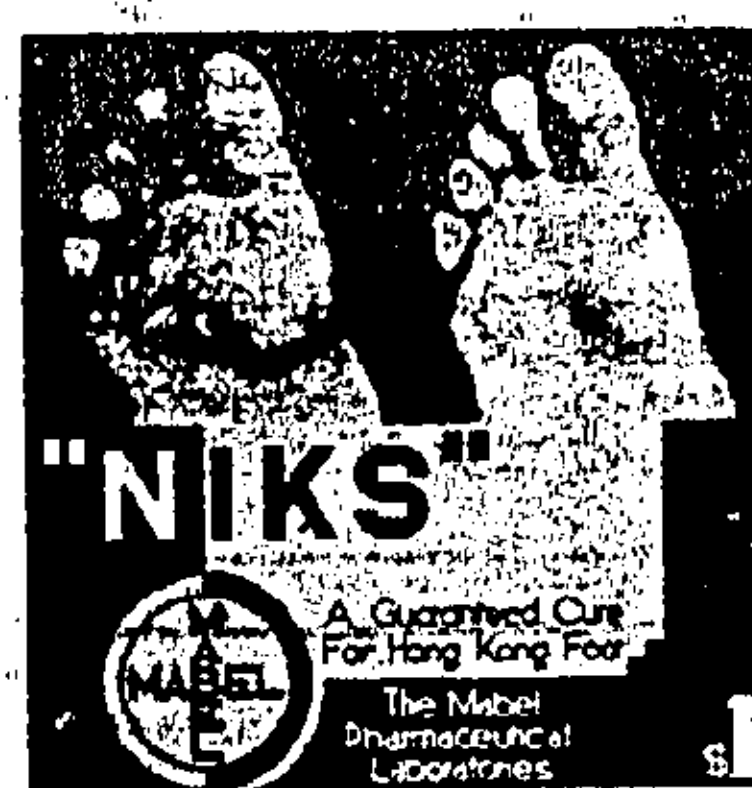
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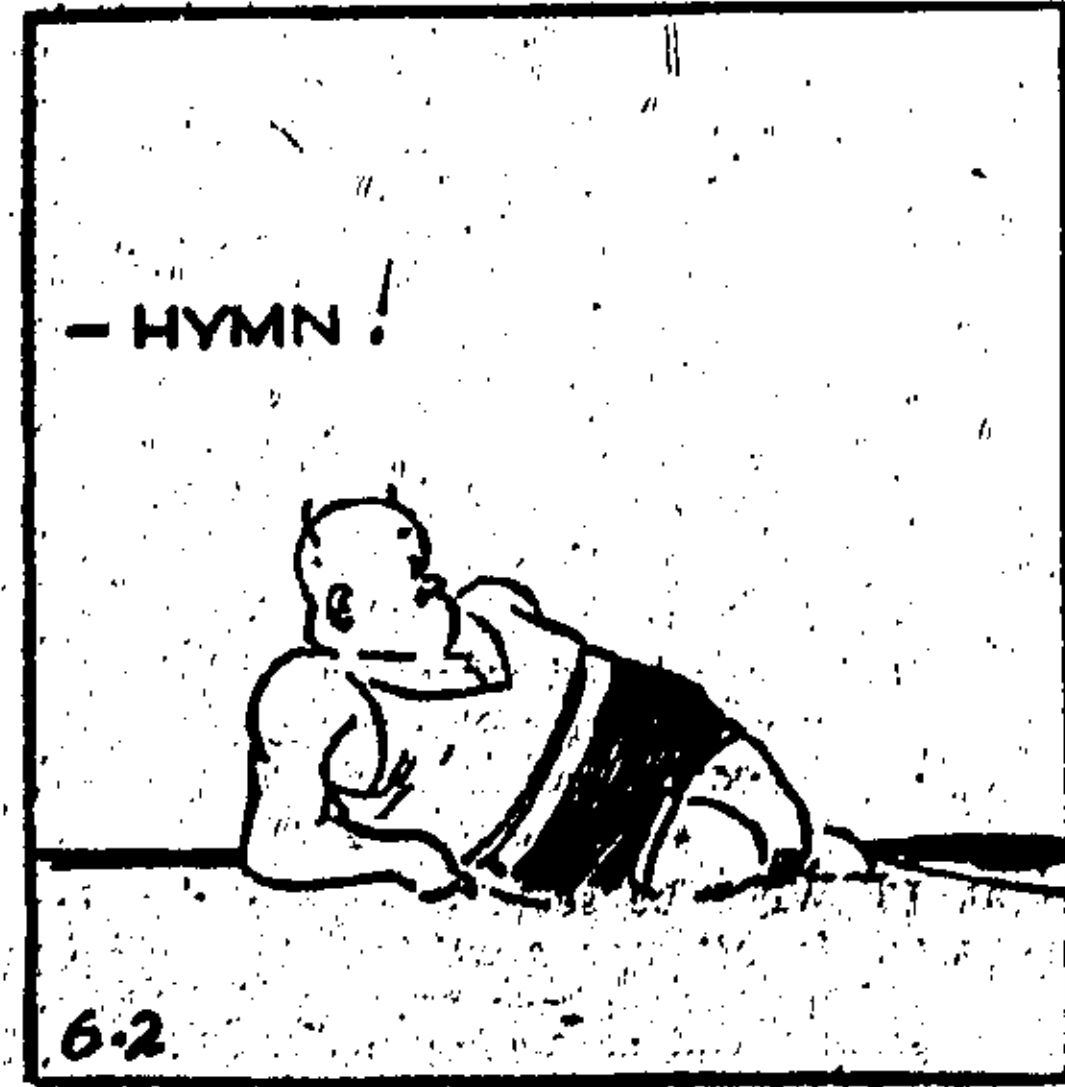
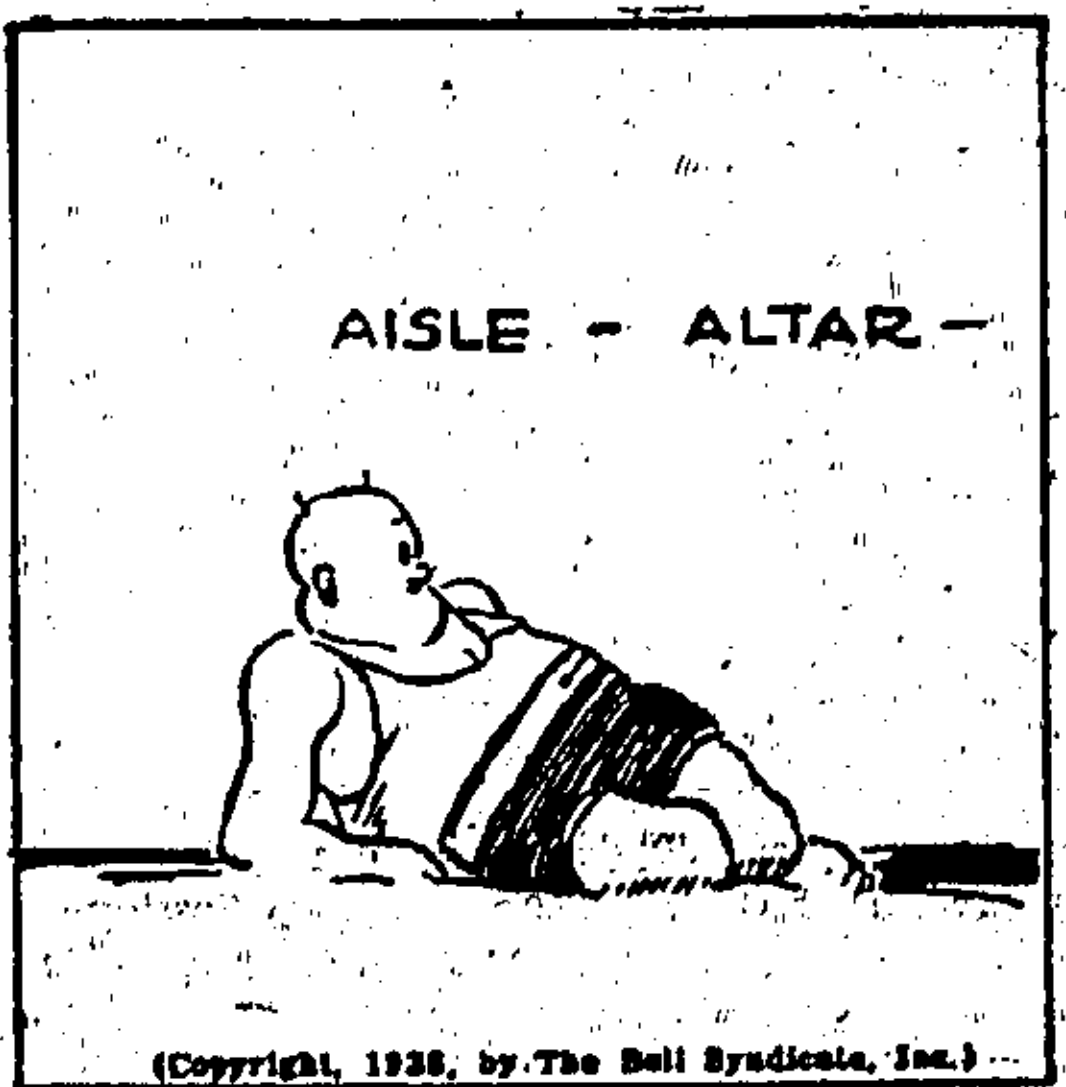
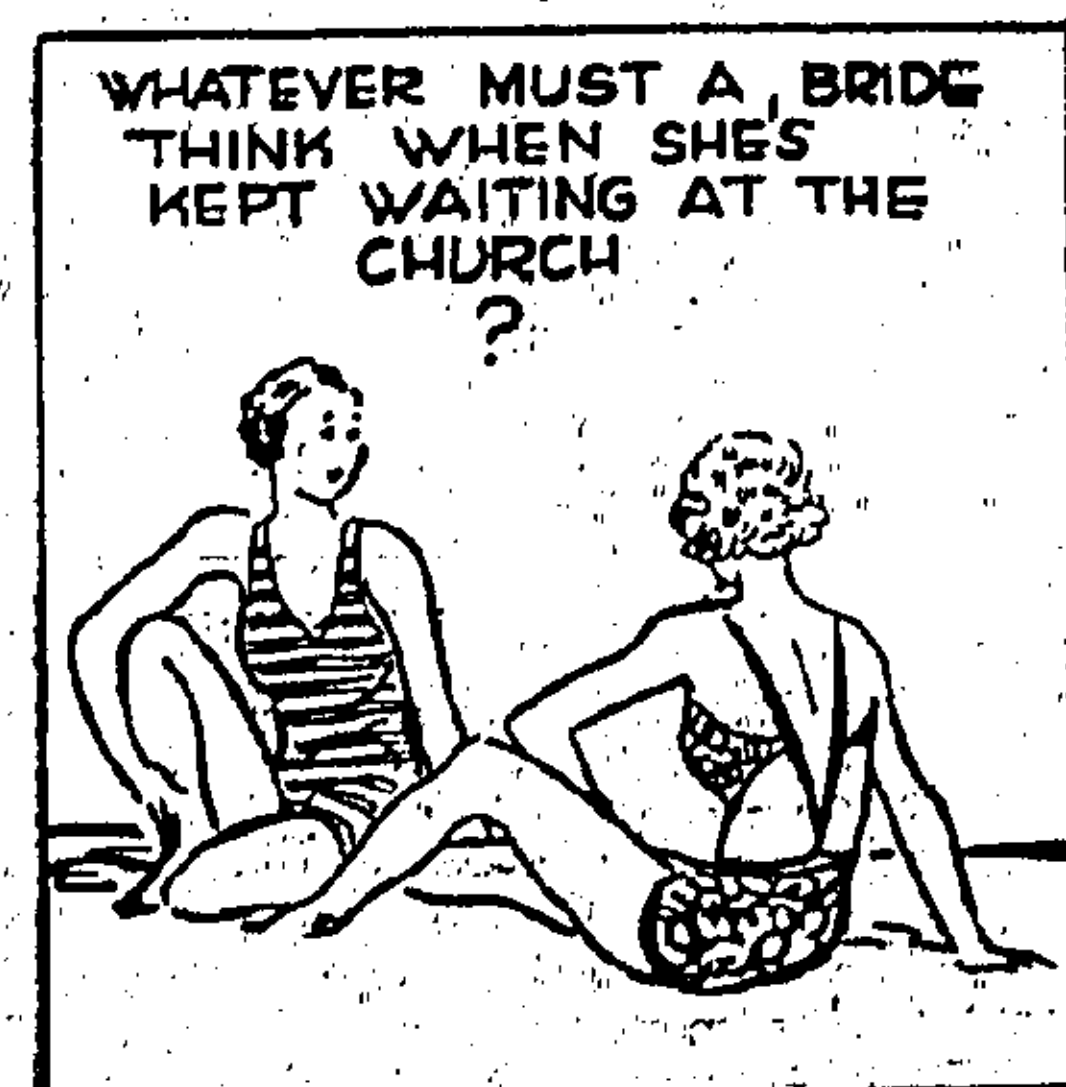
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CHINESE RETALIATE AT WANCHIH

Tungki, Anhwei, August 10.

After sustaining heavy losses, 1,000 Japanese troops attacking the Chinese positions at Wanchih, south of Wuhu on the Kiangnan Railway, on August 7 allegedly resorted to the use of gas shells, victimising many Chinese soldiers on the front line.

In retaliation the Chinese counter-attacked with increased violence, inflicting more casualties on the enemy.—(Central News)

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Dated at Hong Kong, this 11th day of August, 1938.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG PROBATE JURISDICTION

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All creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 6th day of August, 1938.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Tai Hang Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

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2	113	North of and adjoining Rural Building Lot No. 341, Stanley Beach Rd.	As per sale plan	32,400	372	8,100

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WASTING WATER

Eu Ng-chee, principal tenant of No. 120, Gloucester Road, second floor, was given one month's imprisonment, with the option of a fine of \$25, by Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday when she appeared on a charge for wasting water in the kitchen of the premises.

JUNK MASTER ON ARMS CHARGE

Appearing before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday charged with the possession of three rifles and seven rounds of ammunition, Kwok Cheong-hoi, master of a fishing junk at Aberdeen Harbour, was remanded for 24 hours.

KOREAN FINED

Ri Ho-to, 27, a Korean subject, described as a missionary, residing at No. 43, Stubbs Road, was yesterday fined \$15 by Mr. Butters at the Central Court for failing to report his departure to Macao on July 11. Inspector J. H. E. Edwards prosecuted.

BIRTH
PETTITT.—On August 5, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mabel (nee Wilson) wife of A. V. Pettitt, a son.

ENGAGEMENT
The engagement is announced between Lieutenant Richard Thurston Venables Kyrke, Royal Navy, only son of the late Gerald Venables Kyrke and of Mrs. Venables Kyrke, of Dorset, Chard, Somerset, and Barbara Charlotte, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. R. Hance, of Hong Kong.

DEATHS
GRIFFITH.—On August 1, 1938, at Marnoch Lodge, Banffshire, Henrietta, Julia (daughter of the late Mr. Daniel Richard Caldwell, of Hong Kong), the beloved wife of Thomas Edward Griffith, late of Canton, China.
COOKE.—On August 5, 1938, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, Ada Dorothy, aged 48 years, wife of D. H. Cooke.

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"ENOUGH" FOR JAPAN

IN SPITE of the confidence expressed in Tokyo to the effect that even if major hostilities should develop from the incident on the Manchukuo frontier it will have no effect on the China campaign, events during the past few days give the impression that it is very much the other way about.

It has become increasingly apparent of late that Japan is feeling the strain of the hostilities in China far more severely than the Japanese themselves would care to admit. They had counted on a quick victory, but the opposition provided by the Chinese has been so stubborn that their every move had been countered with the result that the morale of their troops has been greatly impaired.

This in turn has had a shattering effect on discipline so that while those in power in Tokyo are worrying about finding enough money to maintain the troops in China, the leaders of the troops in China are faced with the problem of how to keep the men under proper control and supervision.

It will be seen, therefore, that to attempt anything like war against so formidable a nation as Soviet Russia would be an act bordering on suicide. Japan, it

Another Raid On Canton

CEMENT WORKS BOMBED

FRENCH DEMAND

Canton, August 10.
The third air raid alarm was sounded here shortly after noon and about 30 minutes later, eight Japanese planes appeared overhead. They dropped 30 bombs at Saichuen.

Earlier in the morning, Japanese bombers passed over here and bombed Kunlun and Loktung on the Canton-Hankow Railway.

This afternoon 11 Japanese planes flew over the city directly for Saichuen dropping 25 bombs on the cement works and Kwangtung Brewery and then flew over the city directly for Saichuen dropping 25 bombs on the cement works and Kwangtung Brewery and then flew over the loop line of the Canton-Hankow Railway.

There were no casualties.

The raiders encountered heavy A.A. fire in Saichuen.

Four machines passed over the city of Canton enroute to Samshui and the alarm is still on pending the return of the Japanese planes from Samshui.

700 CASUALTIES
The Chinese officially estimate the casualties in the past two days' raids at 296 killed and 399 wounded. Some 340 houses were demolished.

It is understood that the French authorities are demanding 300,000 francs indemnity for the damage to the French Roman Catholic Cathedral which is in French territory.—(Reuters and Central News).

JAPANESE AERODROME SET ON FIRE

Canton, August 10.
The Chinese able-bodied corps in Sancho Island have been active again in launching surprise attacks on the Japanese garrison.

They set fire to the Japanese aerodrome and damaged an oil storage.

The Japanese sent over 300 men to guard the place and strictly prohibited any Chinese villagers going to the ground by day or night.—(International).

has been proved, is far from being a first class nation and even a first class nation would find it impossible to carry on a dual campaign under modern war conditions with any hope of success.

If Japan is pressed to fight the issue by Moscow she will almost certainly be compelled to relax, if not entirely abandon, the China campaign and concentrate her resources on the new threat. In China she is fighting to gain more territory but in Manchukuo she will be fighting to hold what she already possesses—a much harder fight on a far bigger scale.

The position then would be most precarious for Japan for the reduction of the garrisons in North China would certainly bring down the guerrilla forces upon the centres which Japan has seized and the invader would find himself forced to retreat or even to leave the country altogether.

AGAINST the Chinese, whom they at one time regarded as poorly equipped and ill-trained troops, the "invincible" Japanese army has found it most difficult to make any headway. It can well be imagined then what they might be like against Soviet Russia.

In London, as indeed in most parts of the world, the general opinion is that Japan, with her usual "astuteness," will find some way of glossing over the border incidents. Japan is not ready to fight Russia at the present time and nobody knows it better than Japan herself.

Her resources, both economic and military, are already greatly overtaxed while her budget position is becoming more and more insecure. In addition signs are not lacking of internal unrest and a steadily growing antagonism among the people to the policy of war.

In short, if these border incidents are allowed to develop into anything more serious, Japan will find herself forced to abandon her much-vaunted ambition of being the "stabilising influence for peace in Asia." Even more, she will find herself on the brink of complete collapse.

STRONG CHINESE RESISTANCE ON NAMOA

Canton, August 10.
As a result of the Chinese stubborn resistance in Namoa Island and the threat of food shortage, Japanese staying in the Island have mostly withdrawn to their ships.

Only some 500 Japanese remain occupying a few points, the rest of the areas being either abandoned or managed by traitors.

During the first few days of this month when the Japanese severely attacked Namoa Island, over twenty Japanese warships attempted to cut the Chinese communication on the mainland. But this has so far failed.

The Chinese soldiers, together with the natives who had withdrawn to the interior earlier, have recaptured several important points.—(International).

JAPANESE LANDING REPULSED

Swatow, August 10.

Japanese warships opened heavy machine-gun fire to cover the landing of troops at Holsan on the Jaoping coast early yesterday morning. Chinese defenders repelled with heavy fire and repulsed the Japanese.

Chinese regular troops and militia units have been rushed to the spot.—(Central News).

ANOTHER SETBACK

Juchang, Kiangsi, August 10.

Units of Japanese troops which landed at Kankow, west of Klu-kiang, have now been repulsed by the Chinese.

The Japanese in a number of steam launches, who attempted to sweep off the mines in the Yangtze River at Tsing Lung Su (Green Dragon Temple), west of Klu-kiang, have also been driven away by Chinese troops firing from the south bank.—(Central News).

SEVERE RAID ON AUGUST 13

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 10.
According to handbills dropped by Japanese planes, the most severe air raid will take place on August 13. This is to destroy the morale of the Chinese people, who have steadfastly refused to accept Japanese propaganda.

Regardless of Japanese handbills, the people here have turned their full wrath on the Japanese militarists who authorize the wanton bombing of Canton.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR REFUGEES

Canton, August 10.

A training institute for disabled refugees will be established here shortly by the local Refugee Relief Commission.

The projected institute will accommodate 100 refugees.—(Central News).

FLOOD VICTIMS

Chengchow, August 10.

Nine hundred flood refugees are being sent from Chengchow to Yuhshen, 50 miles southwest of Chengchow. They are proceeding on foot under the escort of armed guards.—(Central News).

POLICEMAN IN TROUBLE

Che Ping-hsuen, Weihsaiwei police constable attached to the Emergency Unit, Kowloon, appeared at the Kowloon Court yesterday before Mr. Macfadyen on a charge of misconduct.

Che, it is alleged, had been on duty at the Yumail Vehicular Ferry Wharf on August 7, when a man, named Lau Sul, had carried past him a basket containing a large number of heroin pills.

Although aware of this, Che had not only failed to arrest him but had fraternised with him and had together with him taken the ferry to Hong Kong, leaving his post.

As Che has been remanded to Monday to appear in the dock with Lam Sul, an amendment to the charge against him may be made.

MACAO AMBULANCE CORPS GOES TO CANTON

An ambulance corps formed by Chinese youths in Macao has arrived in Canton for service. The corps is led by Mr. Tsai Chang-lin.

On arrival in the city they were welcomed at the wharf by about 60 members of the Canton Red Cross

WIDOW SO HYSTERICAL NEARLY FALLS FROM BOX AT INQUEST

WELL-KNOWN SHAI CABARET OWNER'S SUDDEN DEATH

Dressed in white, with a black band round her hat and carrying a black handkerchief, Mrs. Bertha Jane Israel, widow of the late Mr. Albert Israel, proprietor of the famous Del Monte night club in Shanghai, who was found dead last Wednesday with a pistol by his side, grew so hysterical when she gave evidence on Friday at the inquest before Mr. Gordon Campbell, U.S. Court Coroner, that she collapsed many times in the box.

She went to bed shortly after midnight, she said, and was fast asleep when her husband came in to the room. She saw that he had been drinking. His nose was "big," his face very red and his hair ruffled.

He said to her: "Oh well, I might as well end it all. I have lived my life!"

Rapidly growing hysterical, Mrs. Israel said that she looked more closely at her husband and saw he had a gun on the table. (Mrs. Israel collapsed here, but with assistance sat up and in a louder voice continued.) He said, "I am going to blow my brains out!"

Mrs. Israel said she told him "not to talk like that," explaining that he had been like this before when intoxicated. She thought this was going to be a repetition of previous scenes, but no sooner had she turned her head away than there was an "explosion." (Mrs. Israel collapsed once more, but went on again after a glass of water.) His head was on the table, and she jumped up and ran to the door, screaming for her brother.

ALMOST FELL FROM BOX

Mrs. Israel almost fell from witness-box at this point.

When she recovered, she said, in reply to a question, that she did not see her husband kill himself.

After a few more questions, Israel was excused. She stepped out of the witness-box and collapsed once again, having to be assisted from the court to a chair in the adjoining Court Library.

Mr. Thurman Hyde, brother-in-law of the deceased, said that he was closing up the premises at the time and had just stepped into the hall when he heard his sister screaming. He rushed up the stairs, meeting her half-way. She said, "My God, Al's killed himself!"

Mr. Hyde rushed into the room. Without attempting to stop the flow of blood, Mr. Hyde telephoned to Dr. O'Hara.

NEVER HAD A QUARREL
"I have never had a quarrel with my brother-in-law," Mr. Hyde went on, "and we had been business partners for 18 years. I was managing director and handled the funds."

Shanghai, August 10.
A verdict of suicide was handed down today in the death of Mr. Albert Israel. The United States Marshal, Mr. Gordon Campbell, acting as Coroner in the U.S. Court for China announced today that as a result of investigations made by the U.S. Authorities and of the inquest held last week he found that Mr. Israel died from a bullet fired by his own hand.—(Reuters).

EMPIRE AIR TERMINAL

Southampton is to be the first permanent Empire air base in England.

This was decided at a meeting of the Southampton Harbour Board recently, when it was agreed to surrender to the Air Ministry a stretch of water one mile in length and 1200ft. in breadth on the eastern side of Southampton Water near Netley Castle to become an Empire air service terminal.

Imperial Airways now use Southampton as a terminal for their Empire service. This was a temporary measure while various schemes were being considered for a permanent terminal, principally one at Portsmouth.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the offices of the Great Northern Telegraph Company:—

Commukwok; Rubceymer; 7216; Ip Tse Kong; St. Francis Hotel, Room 400; Cheng Cheung Tai, 87, Waterloo Rd., Kowloon; Gutmann Reutbrock; Sarge, Gloucester Hotel; Yee Wo Loong 91, Des Voeux Rd. W.; 0943.

COMMITTED TO SESSIONS

Chu Ching, 34, who appeared on remand before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of robbery by two or more, was committed to stand trial at the Criminal Sessions.

It was alleged that defendant, together with two others, entered the Sang Cheung shop on July 12, and robbed the inmates of \$15.

Shanghai's Latest Playground

The largest amusement and recreation centre in Shanghai, the Hollywood Gardens, situated in Yuyuen Road near Edinburgh Road, was opened to the public last week.

The opening ceremony was performed by a number of Chinese motion picture stars.

Combining a cycling track for tandem bicycles, and a large track for pony riding and cruising in specially constructed hansom cabs, a dance floor, restaurant, games and side-shows, the Hollywood Gardens were thronged with merry-makers on the first day.

SOON TO MARRY

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—

Mr. Kwok Mok-chi, physical instructor, Education Department, and Miss Leung Man-haan, residing at No. 92 Tai Nam Street, third floor, Shamshuipo.

Mr. Donald Fraser Stratton, marine engineer, China Navigation Company, of Dumbarton, Scotland, and Miss Isabella Ewing Baxter, en route to the Colony by the s.s. Rampura.

EMBEZZLEMENT

Sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed on Lau Chung-chin, aged 30, when he appeared before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of embezzlement of \$43.24. The money was received by the defendant on behalf of his employer, the Hon. Shing rocer shop.

CHINESE FORCES RECAPTURE HUANGMEI

Japanese Landing Attempt At Yitaokow Checked

HEAVY LOSSES SUSTAINED AT TSIENSHAN AND TAIHU

Hankow, August 10.

Chinese forces succeeded in recapturing Huangmei, north of Klu-kiang, yesterday morning, and the Japanese communications at the rear were cut by the Chinese.

Japanese reinforcements moving westward from Taihu were checked by the Chinese.

On August 7 at noon about 200 Japanese in Yitaokow, opposite Klu-kiang, attempted a landing in order to reinforce their comrades in Huangmei, but they were counter-attacked by the Chinese and finally withdrew to their ships in the afternoon.

Japanese have been isolated in a point east of Huangmei and mopping-up operations by the Chinese is under way.—(International).

JAPANESE TRAPPED

Hankow, August 10.

The Japanese troops in the Huangmei sector on the north bank of the Yangtze River are trapped by the flood waters pouring out from Kan Lake and Taihu Lake, southwest of Huangmei, and the Chinese forces operating in that sector, declared a Chinese military spokesman yesterday.

Co-ordinating their movements, the Chinese forces in southwest Anhwei and on the east Hupeh border, according to the spokesman, are counter-attacking with considerable success. The entire Japanese front running from Huangmei to Tsienshan for a distance of some 100 kilometres is subjected to the Chinese counter-offensive.

JAPANESE TAKE PRECAUTIONS

Hankow, August 10.

With the Russo-Japanese war looming large, the Japanese and Mongol military authorities in Suiyuan are taking precautionary measures against Outer-Mongolia as they fear a possible attack from that direction, according to an intelligence report.

The Mongol 8th Division has moved up to Pangkiang in north Suiyuan where they are erecting defences. Japanese special service men have been despatched to north Suiyuan to survey the topography and making military maps of the region.

Many Chinese are compelled to repair the Japanese military airfields at Tamiao and Pallingmiao.—(Central News).

BRITISH BOXER FUND APPROPRIATIONS

(Continued from Page 1)

Another \$10,000 is provided for scholarships and an exchange chair in the Hong Kong University, under the auspices of the Sino-British Cultural Association.

Three high schools, one on the borders of Yunnan, the other on the borders of Kweichow and the third at Suchow, will be established by appropriations from the Board, amounting to \$50,000 each.

A special reserve of \$282,000 is also provided which will be used for emergency purposes as occasions arise.

For the despatching of Boxer Indemnity Scholarship students to England, the Board has set aside a sum of \$480,000, while another \$125,000 has been earmarked for various subsidies to scientific workers.—(Central News).

SOUTH AFRICA UNION BUDGET

Capetown, Aug. 10.

The new Union of South Africa budget shows an estimated surplus of £352,000 in the 1937-38 accounts which is 50 per cent. above the amount budgeted last year.

Expenditure showed a large margin below the estimate.

Imports for 1937 exceeded the £100,000,000 mark for the first time despite the large development of local production.

Gold mining produced £10,000,000 Government revenue.

The Finance Minister, Mr. N. C. Havenga announced that the mining taxation will not be altered during the forthcoming year.—(Reuter).

France May Reopen Pyrenean Frontier

STRONG PUBLIC OPINION

London, August 10.

Speculation concerning the reason for the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain's sudden return to London continued rife this morning although the papers were able to agree on but two positive facts, namely, that Mr. Chamberlain will remain in London until the end of the week and that he will confer with Lord Halifax today.

There is a strong belief that Mr. Chamberlain's trip to London was motivated principally by the latest developments in the Spanish situation and the papers again call attention to the strong dissatisfaction over the trend of events which persists in the French Government, declaring that France will be compelled by force of public opinion to reopen the Pyrenean frontier unless the Nationalist Spanish Government assents within the next few days to the British plan for withdrawal of foreign volunteers.

Developments in political circles here and abroad indicate that this question will assume considerable importance in the near future.—(Transocean).

Moller Ship Detained

Shanghai, August 10.

The s.s. Minie Moller, of the Moller Line, a British concern, was detained by the Chinese military headquarters at Ningpo. Investigations are at present being made to ascertain the reasons for her detention.

The Minie Moller left Shanghai on Aug. 4 under charter to a Chinese firm with cargo and 300 passengers. It is understood that the passengers were allowed to proceed to their destination but the ship and cargo were detained.—(Reuter).

NEGOTIATIONS ON SPOT

Shanghai, August 10.

Negotiations on the spot were undertaken by Mr. E. Kermode, Secretary of the Moller Line, for the release of the ship. Mr. Kermode proceeded to the Chekiang port aboard the Dina Moller for the purpose of obtaining the release of the British tug-boat.

Up to a late hour this evening no word on the success or failure of Mr. Kermode's negotiations was received by the Company's office here.

It is understood that the vessel was seized on the charge of violating Chinese defence orders prohibiting the landing of passengers from Shanghai.—(Reuter).

JAPANESE PLANES BOMB CANTON-HANKOW LINE

Raids From Morning Till Late In The Afternoon

Canton, August 10.

Thirty Japanese planes, in several groups, subjected a number of points on the Canton-Hankow Railway to severe attacks from morning till late in the afternoon today.

Early in the morning, two planes, taking off from their base out at sea, appeared over Chungshan and later made reconnoitering flight at Kongmoon. The planes departed without dropping bombs.

Later, nine planes appeared again over Chungshan and, proceeding northward along the Canton-Hankow Railway, released seventeen missiles at a point midway between Kumtien and Loktong stations.

Three hours later, a lone plane arrived in Kongmoon once again from Chungshan and again did some surveying flight over the place.

HOUSES DESTROYED

Shortly before noon, fifteen planes, in two groups, traced their customary route to invade the Canton-Hankow Railway once more. Four of the planes attacked Kumtien and Loktong again and dropped more than a dozen bombs, while the rest eleven turned their course to bomb Saichuen and the suburbs of Canton. Several civilian houses were destroyed by the many missiles dropped.

In the afternoon, four more

Czechoslovakia Situation Grows Worse

Prague, Aug. 10.

The view that the situation in Czechoslovakia has grown worse rather than improved since May 21 is expressed in a communique issued by the Sudeten German headquarters following a meeting of party leaders today.

Recent incidents and the murder of a Sudeten German at Glaserwald, it was stated, had prompted the Government to take measures which were directed against Sudeten Germans.

It is generally felt that the communique rather exaggerates the facts and the Sudeten German view is not shared by other quarters.—(Reuter).

LORD RUNCIMAN CONFERS WITH CZECH PREMIER

Prague, August 10.

Having studied at length various documents embodying the Government's proposals, Lord Runciman yesterday visited the Czech Premier, Dr. Hodza, to discuss the situation in the light of this information, states the first communique issued in connection with the mediation mission.

Dr. Hodza and Lord Runciman discussed what further steps should be taken in co-operation with the Czech authorities towards elucidating the facts of the situation.

In the evening, Lord Runciman received a delegation of the Sudeten German Party and further discussed their memorandum.—(Reuter).

BUDGE TO TURN PRO.

New York, August 10.

Donald Budge, Wimbledon tennis champion, will turn professional, according to well-informed circles.

He is expected to start a tour of the United States in January 1939 and play a series of matches against Ellsworth Vines.—(Reuter).

SIR A. CALDECOTT TO TAKE REST IN ENGLAND

Colombo, August 10.

The Governor of Ceylon, Sir Andrew Caldecott, former Governor of Hong Kong, left Colombo today for England to take a rest on the advice of his doctors.

Sir Andrew is not returning to Ceylon until the end of September.—(Reuter Bulletin).

NON-FULFILMENT OF PITTSBURGH TREATY ALLEGED

Warsaw, Aug. 10.

The United Committee of Polish Parties in Czechoslovakia has, according to a despatch to the Polish news agency here from Ostrava, decided on the necessary steps in order to provide Lord Runciman with detailed information concerning the situation of the Polish minority in that country.

A Prague despatch to the same news agency states that the Slovak Autonomist Party intends assigning the Czechoslovak Government before the Court of National Justice on the Hague for non-fulfilment of the Treaty of Pittsburgh.

The Slovak autonomists are said to take the view that the Treaty in question is an international agreement concluded between two nations and which had been submitted to the Peace Conference in Paris.—(Transocean).

MR. MACDONALD FLYING HOME

London, August 10.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, who has been visiting Palestine and Malta, took off today from Malta on a direct flight to London.—(Reuter Bulletin).

Nine Japanese Planes Downed

Shao-shan, Chekiang, Aug. 10.

Five Japanese pursuits and four bombers were brought down by Chinese anti-aircraft guns yesterday when a squadron of 15 Japanese planes dispatched from Shanghai bombed the Chinese positions at Haiyen and Wukang, on the north bank of the Chientang River, in Chekiang.

Six Japanese airmen were captured alive by the Chinese troops.

A large number of bombs were dumped on the Chinese positions but the damage was slight.—(Central News).

SESSION OF SOVIET PARLIAMENT

(Continued from Page 1)

No fresh news from the Far East is published in the Moscow papers though official Soviet circles admit "continuous firing from across the Manchurian border."—(Reuter).

BUDGET DISCUSSION

Moscow, August 10.

It is announced that the Supreme Council of the Soviet Union will meet this afternoon in the Kremlin for its second session.

According to Pravda the Council will deal with the budget for 1938 and with the Bill for the amendment of regulations for the administration of justice. The paper believes that the Government will take advantage of discussion of the budget to make a declaration on foreign policy and particularly on the conflict with Japan regarding the Manchurian frontier.—(Transocean).

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CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SPAIN DISCUSSED IN PARIS

Paris, August 10.

A prolonged conversation which the German Ambassador in Paris, Count Welck, had yesterday with the French Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, constituted in the opinion of well-informed circles one of those informative discussions on the European situation that the French Foreign Minister has for some time past been conducting systematically, first with French envoys in various European capitals then with certain foreign diplomats accredited in Paris.

These conversations are to be ported through France to Republic continued, and it is learned that M. Bonnet will meet the Polish Ambassador, M. Lukasiewicz.

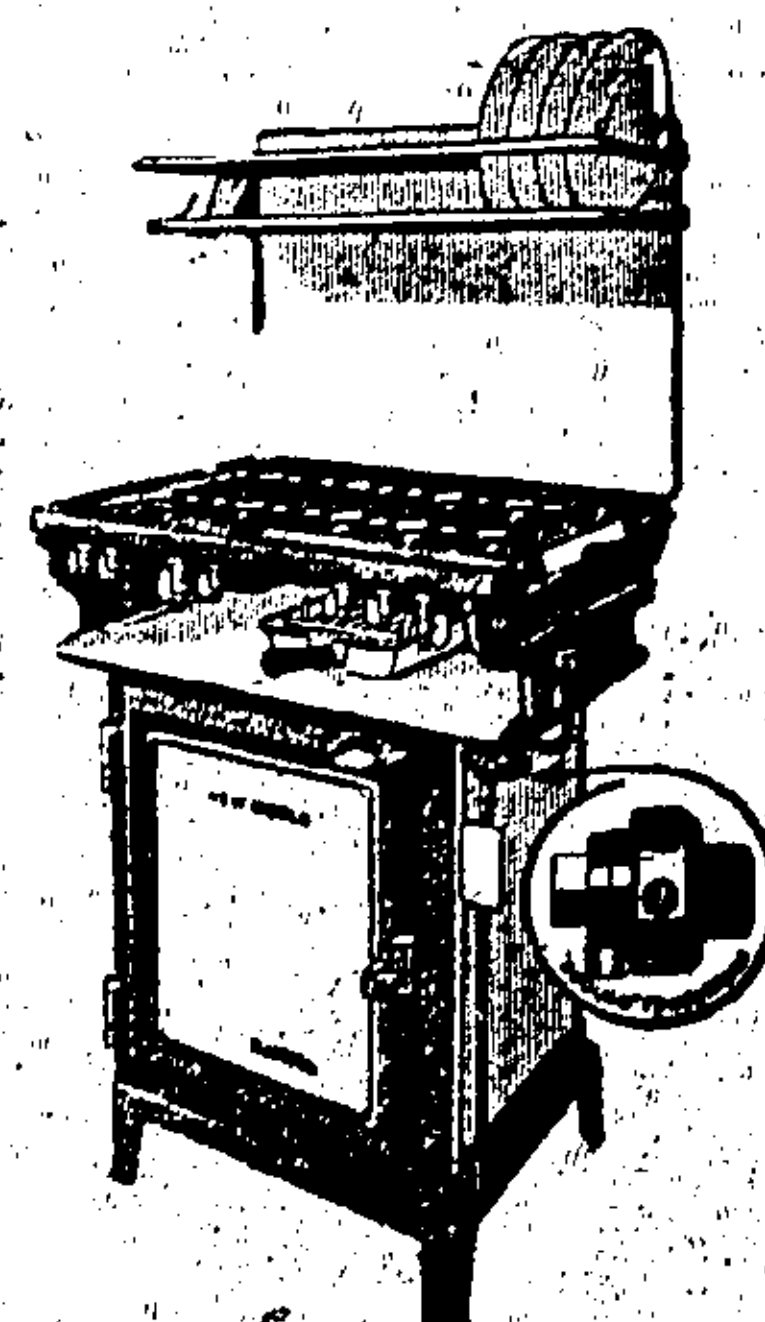
ROME MEETING

Rome, August 10.

The French Charge d'Affaires in Rome, M. Blondel, was again received yesterday by the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Ciano.

French circles in Rome, however, state that the conversation did not concern the question of a possible resumption of the Franco-Italian discussions interrupted in May.—(Transocean).

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SPORTING NEWS AND NOTES

INDIANS GIVE CRAIGENGOWER A RUDE SHOCK

League Bowls Matches Under Review

OPEN PAIRS FINAL DISCUSSED

By B. R. Swiller

All the bowls matches arranged to be played off last Saturday were decided in spite of several interruptions by rain which at one time threatened to wash out all games. The Kowloon Cricket Club have finished their fixtures and have ended the bowls season as runners-up to Reccelo as a result of their victory over the Police R.C.

Three teams in the First Division (the Police R.C., Kowloon Dock, and the Civil Service C.C.) are in danger of relegation. The Police, with one more match to play are one point ahead of the Kowloon Dock and the Civil Service C.C. but they are by no means out of the woods yet. Should they be beaten by Kowloon Dock, and should the Civil Servants again beat the Kowloon Dock in their return encounter, the Police will properly be in the soup.

For the next week or two these three teams will not only be fighting for two points, but they will be striving for the right to remain in the First Division.

The Indians, for the second week in succession, have caused an upset. They beat Craigenower at home by ten shots in a match which the rain caused to be interrupted several times.

Although Reccelo (the champions) were successful in their match against the K.B.G.C. it is unfortunate that F.X. Silva should lose his excellent 100 per cent skip's record in his last match. His colours were lowered for the first time this season, this honour going to R. Duncan who beat him in a thrilling game by one shot.

SECOND DIVISION

The race for championship honours in the Second Division is still very open. The Kowloon Bowling Green, their fixtures for the season complete, are at present at the head of the table and, by virtue of a draw, are one point ahead of Reccelo who have the same number of wins with one match in hand. Reccelo have yet to play the Police and if they win, as they should easily, they will then take the place of the Kowloon Bowling Green as leaders in the Second Division.

Craigenower who are now third in the Table have also a very good chance of carrying off the championship as, with two matches in hand, they are only two points behind Reccelo. As they have to play two weak teams in the Football Club "A" and the Civil Service, they have every chance of winning the championship. It is very probable that these two Clubs (Reccelo and Craigenower) may have to play each other again at the end of the season for the championship. Should this eventuate, they will very probably have to play off this vital match on a neutral green.

DANGER OF RELEGATION

The Civil Service, champions last year in the Third Division together with the Football Club "A", are in grave danger of being relegated, the balance of probability being very much against the former who, with two more matches to play, are two points behind the latter (Football Club "A"). However, it is still very open as to which team will be demoted to the Third Division.

In the First Division, Reccelo playing away, beat the Kowloon Bowling Green by 22 shots. F.X. Silva lost his 100 per cent record, R. Duncan beating him by a single shot. H.A. Alves beat E.W. Lines by 10 shots and R.F. Luz beat J.C. Meyer by 15 shots.

INDIANS WIN

The Indians, rather unexpectedly, beat Craigenower at home by 10 shots. A.R. Dallas, leading at one time by 20-3, beat U.M. Omar by 29-14. Omar for the most part was fighting a lone battle, as he had little help from his men. S.O. Bux played extremely well and on many heads was dead on the jack. He easily outplayed A.S. Gomes.

E. el Arcullifeling indisposed, A.O. Madar took his place as No. 3 and acquitted himself creditably. M.B. Abbas' rink (the only Indian rink to meet defeat) found B.W. Bradbury's too good for them and lost by eight shots. J.W. Leonard had a slight edge on D.M. Khan. Abbas' lead, but the man who did the most damage for Bradbury was A.E. Coates.

The Civil Servants' home win by 11 shots over the Kowloon Dock R.C. may be the means of their

salvation as they have now the same number of points as their opponents who have two more matches to play. Their two points at least have given them a fighting chance of avoiding relegation. For their victory they have to thank J.F. McGowan and his men who beat J. McKelvie's rink by 19 shots.

TWO VALUABLE POINTS

In the Second Division, Reccelo won two valuable points from the Kowloon Bowling Green as a result of which their prospects of winning the championship are very racy. The Portuguese, were successful on all their rinks and beat their opponents by 18 shots.

Craigenower have also enhanced their chances of winning the championship by a narrow victory of nine shots over their neighbours, the Hong Kong Football Club "A". Though J. Cavanagh was down to G. Duncan by eight shots, the other two skips were up. W.K. Way beating J. Russell by ten shots and M. A.R. Souza having the better of A. Brooksbank by seven.

The Kowloon Football Club (champions in the Third Division) met and easily defeated the Hong Kong Electric at home by 40 shots. W.V. Field, who is the only skip in all three Divisions to possess an unbeaten record, has added yet another victory to his already imposing list. His win of 39 shots over W.H.B. Muskett constitutes a record for the season. In all, he scored on 18 heads for his 43 shots and he allowed his opponent to score only four shots.

NEW CHAMPIONS

Unlike their matches in the earlier rounds which were characterized by very close scores, C.M. Silva and F.X. Soares of the Club de Reccelo second team, won the Open Pairs championship on Monday on the Civil Service green in an absurdly easy fashion, beating J.S. Howell and R.G. Craig by 27-9.

Howell, who was playing well on the short heads and was more than merely holding his own against Silva, unfortunately lost the jack on the sixth head when he and Craig were leading by 5-3. For the next seven heads, they assumed the role of spectators and saw the Portuguese pair put on 17 shots on the board to lead by 20-3 before they were able to score again.

Silva revelled in the long heads and completely outplayed Howell who was either too short or yards through, with the result that when the skips went down to roll, Craig, who under the circumstances it must be admitted was playing quite well, found himself very much up against it.

However, Soares whose job was for the most part reduced to that of blocking, played quite well too when the occasion demanded. On two heads when Craig was lying the shot, he trailed the jack a few inches back, to take three shots on the first occasion and four on the second. Craig who might have been able to reduce the lead somewhat, had little luck as on two or three heads he gave Soares the shot when he was lying. On their performance the Portuguese pair, who scored on 15 heads for their 29 shots, deserved their win.

HOCKEY

With reference to the report in connection with the annual general meeting of hockey clubs held at the Y.M.C.A., the Clubs are run under the title of "United Hockey Clubs" and not "Hong Kong Hockey League" as published, and the 2nd. Bn. The Royal Scots are also affiliated and have entered teams in the Senior and Junior Divisions.

TENNIS LEAGUE

Chinese Beat Club 8-1

Playing on the town ground, Chinese Recreation Club beat Hong Kong Cricket Club by eight sets to one in the "B" Division of the tennis league yesterday.

Scores:—

P. F. Choy and K. C. Ng (C.R.C.) beat J. J. Ferguson and E. E. Storey 6-2
beat A. C. I. Bowker and B. O'M. Deane 6-3
lost to N. L. H. Ralston and T. C. Monaghan 5-7
C. C. Chin and D. S. See (C.R.C.) beat Ferguson and Storey 6-3
beat Bowker and O'M. Deane 6-1
beat Ralston and Monaghan 6-4
F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.) beat Ferguson and Storey 7-5
beat Bowker and O'M. Deane 6-3
beat Ralston and Monaghan 6-4

LAWN BOWLS TEAMS

The following are some of the teams selected to play on Saturday:—

SECOND DIVISION

H.K. Football Club "A".
D. W. Phillips, A. W. Hodges, J. Russell, J. S. Howell (skip).
R. P. Shaw, E. Strange, E. S. Carter, G. Duncan (skip).
W. Buller, G. S. Graver, F. H. Glover, A. Brooksbank (skip).
H.K. Football Club "B".
S. Strange, L. D. Skinner, L. Lammert, W. Gill (skip).
A. Steven, J. Daigarn, H. V. Pearce, E. Tuck (skip).
S. A. Mansell, J. Beach, C. B. Robertson, J. A. R. Selby (skip).
Police R.C.
L. Glendinning, F. Channing, A. Wright, F. E. Booker (skip).
J. H. E. Edwards, S. Farlow, H. Brown, W. E. Hollands (skip).
W. Glendinning, J. Riddell, W. Campbell, W. McHardy (skip).

THIRD DIVISION

H.K. Football Club
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The following will represent the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club in a League Bowls match against the Hong Kong Football Club at home on Saturday:—
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W. A. Cornell, E. Hospes, W. J. Hansen, A. Murdoch (skip).
A. S. Mitchell, C. B. Brown, J. A. D. Morrison, R. H. Wild (skip).

FRIENDLY MATCH

The following have been selected to represent the Police in a friendly match against the Kowloon Bowling Green Club on Saturday:—
Cameron, Soutar, Perkins, Carey (skip).
McLeod, Tallon, Fender, Mair (skip).
Kelly, McWalter, Orem, Moss (skip).
Ellis, Dowman, Nolan Post (skip).

OPEN SINGLES RESULTS

The following matches in the Colony Open Singles Lawn Bowls championship were played yesterday:—
At the Civil Service Cricket Club, J.A. da Luz had a narrow win over A.R. Minu emerging winner by 21 shots to 19.
Playing at the Indian Recreation Club J.V. Ramsay lost to J. Cavanagh by 21 shots to 12.
At the Kowloon Dock, A. Hyde-Lay, a former champion, beat A.E. Carey 21-17, and G.H. Sherriff beat Remedios 21-20.

Inter-Departmental Bowls

All matches in this competition have been postponed until after the open rinks final has been decided.

TALKING ABOUT GOLF

Some Interesting Points From Here And There

It is too bad that the United States Walker Cup team could not stay on in Britain to take part in "the" individual tournament of the season here, the Open Championship at Sandwich, writes a London correspondent. For it would have been interesting to see Charlie Yates and the rest of the boys in action against the brilliant players, amateur and professional, brought together for that cosmopolitan competition.

It was originally intended to hold this event at Deal, but the Royal Cinque Ports Club advised the championship committee that, owing to inundation by the sea early in the year and the subsequent drought, the course was not in fit condition for so important a fixture.

YATES GREAT GOLFER

The volatile Mr. Yates, of Atlanta Ga., former Georgia Tech undergraduate and intercollegiate champion of the United States, certainly produced a most formidable brand of golf while he was over here—both at St. Andrews, when Great Britain unexpectedly won the Walker Cup for the first time in 10 attempts, and at Troon, when he himself unexpectedly won the British open amateur championship at the first attempt.

There can be no doubt whatever that it takes a great golfer, holding consistently to the top of his form, to lay low in succession J. W. Fischer, former U. S. champion; J. J. F. Ponnink, English native amateur champion this year and last; C. J. H. Tolley, British amateur champion of 1929; Hector Thomson, winner of the title in 1936, and in the final, Cecil Ewing, a big powerful Irishman from County Sligo. Yates did all that, and more, at Troon.

QUESTION OF "SEEDING"

A question of international significance debated rather often since the British amateur championship took place is: Should competitors from abroad be "seeded" for this event as they are in say, the Wimbledon lawn tennis championships?

You may remember that the draw was decidedly unkind to the

Americans this year. For no fewer than five found themselves all bunched together in one quarter. A coincidence which certainly looked as if it minimized America's prospects of maintaining the tradition of recent years that, whenever a U. S. Walker Cup team is in Britain, a member of it wins the British amateur championship.

After all, the United States Golf Association "seeds" foreign participants in American tournaments, and it is rather hard to see any very good reason why this considerate treatment should not be reciprocated by the championship committee of the Royal and Ancient Club here.

A UNIQUE PERFORMANCE

A performance described as unique is that of Leonard G. Crawley, English ex-champion and Walker Cup player, in winning two competitions on one day—for the St. George's Hill Trophy at Weybridge and the Gold Medal at Sunningdale. This involved him in three rounds of 18 holes each, and he averaged even 48.

THE CURTIS CUP

In women's golf here, a big subject of conversation is the team selected to visit the United States for the Curtis Cup match against the pick of America's ladies, at the Essex County Club, Mass., Sept. 7 and 8. The team scheduled to sail Aug. 19, is composed of Mrs. A. M. Holm, (winner of the British Women's Amateur Championship this year), Jessie Anderson, Pamela Barton, Elsie Corlett, Mrs. M. E. Gaton, Clarrie Tiersan, Mrs. J. B. Walker and Mrs. Wallace Williamson (captain). A strong side, indeed.

HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, Aug. 10.
The following are the results of first class cricket matches concluded yesterday:—

SURREY v. MIDDLESEX

At the Oval, Surrey defeated Middlesex by 200 runs.
Surrey scored 339 and 182 for six declared, and Middlesex replied with 190 (Watts five for 43) and 131.

SUSSEX v. KENT

At Hastings, Sussex defeated Kent by an innings and 15 runs.
Sussex completed 447 for nine wickets before declaring. H. T. Bartlett hitting up 114 and Wright taking seven wickets for 113 runs.

In reply, Kent scored 115 (James Langridge 5 for 28) and 317 (James Langridge 6 for 91).

GLOUCESTER v. HAMPSHIRE

At Cheltenham, Gloucester defeated Hampshire by 44 runs.
Gloucester totalled only 134 (Knott 5 for 41) and 140, but Hampshire made only 172 (Goddard 5 for 61) and 53 (Goddard 7 for 28).

NOTTS v. LANCASHIRE

At Nottingham, Lancashire took points on first innings from Notts.
Notts scored 303 (Keeton, 101) and 291 for nine wickets, while Lancashire totalled 442 for six wickets declared (Paynter 140).

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, August 10.
The following are the results of baseball matches played yesterday:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	5	9	4
Boston	4	6	0
Philadelphia	6	13	3
Brooklyn	9	13	0

St. Louis 0 2 0
Pittsburgh 1 8 0
(Bauers pitched for the Pirates).
Chicago 3 7 0
Cincinnati 0 6 0
(French pitched and Collins homered for the Cubs).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	4	10	0
New York	2	6	0
Boston	16	14	0
Philadelphia	4	10	4
(Sax) Tabor homered for the Red Sox.			

Detroit 4 4 0
Chicago 1 8 5
(York homered for the Tigers).

Cleveland 3 7 0
St. Louis 4 7 1
Cleveland 8 12 0
St. Louis 1 9 2
(Campbell homered for the Indians).—(Reuter).

Sporting Fixtures

TODAY
BRIDGE—Cheer Club Bridge, 8 p.m.
DARTS—"H.B." League, Embassy v. Neptune, R.A.O.B. (GC) v. Jolly Roger, C.P.O.C. v. Imperial

MEETINGS—Victoria Chess Club at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.
TOMORROW
BADMINTON—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge.

SWIMMING—Mixed Swimming, in European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool.

TENNIS—"D" Division, Army T.C. v. Police R.C.; Central British Assn. v. Kowloon Tong R.C.; Chinese R.C. v. Kowloon Indian T.C.; Club de Reccelo v. Kowloon C.C.; Craigenower C.C. v. Indian R.C.; South China A.A. v. Radio Sports Club.

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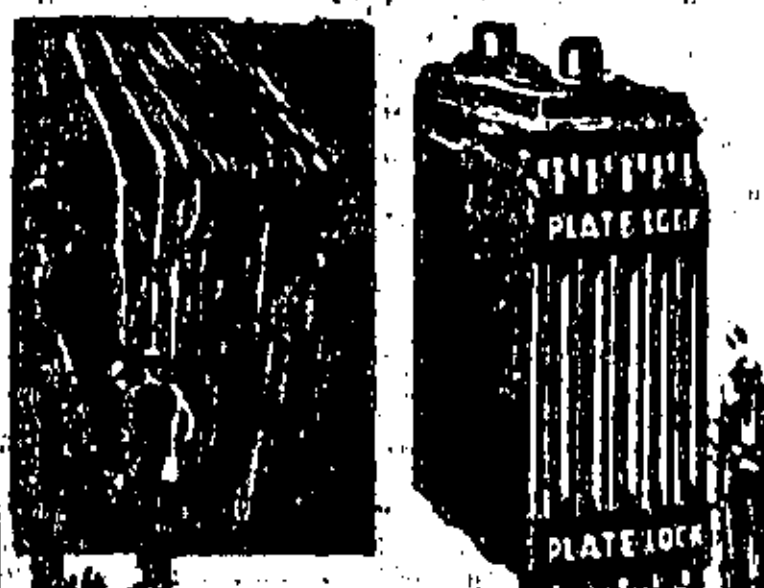
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Moonlight (Connally); The Whis-
pering Waltz (Damerall, Evans).

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and
Weather Report.1.03 p.m. Otto Dobrindt's Or-
chestra.

Quivering Quavers—Fox-Trot
Intermezzo (Lloyd Thomas); Dance
Of The Gaffs—Slow Fox-Trot
(Erst Kalthoff); Rouge Et Noir—
Slow Fox-Trot (Hans Pretscher);
Will O' The Wisp—Fox-Trot inter-
mezzo (Herbert Kaster); In A
Cock Store (Chas. J. Orth); Sleep-
ing Beauty's Bridal Procession
(Max Rhode); Chinese Night
Watch (L. Stede); Petersburg
Sleigh-Ride Party (R. Ellenberg);
When The Lads Are Off To Dance
—Fox-Trot Intermezzo.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby, Press,
Weather Forecast and Announce-
ments.1.40 p.m. Schubert—Duo For
Piano And Violin In A Major, Op.
162 And Other Compositions.

Duo For Piano And Violin In A
Major, Op. 162—Sergei Rachma-
ninoff (Piano) and Fritz Kreisler
(Violin); Der Erlkonig (The Erl
King)—Alexander Kipnis (Bass)
with G. R. Moore at the Piano;
Hark! Hark! The Lark; Moment
Musical—Wolfgang Rose (Piano);
Konrad Liebrecht (Violin) and
Hermann Wolff (Cello).

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

6 p.m. Studio—The Children's
Hour.7 p.m. Closing local Stock Quota-
tions.

Air From Suite In D—Transcrip-
tion (Bach); Quartet No. 1 in D
Major—Finale Allegro (Ditters-
dorf)—Lerner String Quartet; Mo-
ment Musical No. 2 (Schubert Op.
94); Etude No. 7 (Chopin, Op. 25)
—Lerner String Quartet; Love In
Idleness—Serenade (Macbeth)—
Court-Symphony Orch.; The Herd
Girl's Dream (Aug. Labitzky)—
Trio: Violin, Flute and Harp;
Oriental (No. 2 of Five Nocturnes,
Op. 15—Glazounov)—Pro Arte
Quartet.

7.30 p.m. Songs by Amelita Calli-
Curel (Soprano).

11 p.m. Close down.

PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

BIG WEDGE mine operated by
the Atok Gold Mining Company
showed an increase in production
of P419,927.73 for the first seven
months of 1938 in comparison
with the same period in 1937.
Figures released recently show-
ed. Production this year has been
higher every month except May
than it was in 1937.

	1937	1938
January	P 67,438.20	P 148,868.48
February	68,372.42	133,808.20
March	36,907.14	139,878.64
April	65,645.20	157,997.45
May	174,665.49	150,223.64
June	151,938.59 (x)	215,783.12
July	141,532.98 (x)	180,268.32

Totals P706,468.02 P1,126,425.75
(x) This includes the value of
crude ore shipped amounting to
P43,463.10.
(z) This includes the value of
crude ore shipped amounting to
P11,931.32.

SORIANO OUTFIT

A new monthly total output was
recorded in July by the three gold
mines operated by the Soriano
interests, Antamok, Goldfields,
Masbate, and LXL, with an out-
put of P1,054,402.54 from 111,219
tons of ore treated.

Serenata (Tosti): Carceleras
("Las Hijas del Zebedo"—Chapil);
Bolero—Les Filles de Cadix (De-
libes).

7.40 p.m. Light Orchestra.

The Daughter Of The Regiment
—Overture (Donizetti)—Vienna
Symphony Orchestra conducted by
Paul Kerby; From The Old and
The New World—Fantasia (Dvorak
arr. B. Leopold—Dol Dauber and
His Salon Orchestra; Lane Wilson
Melodies (Intro)—When dull care:
Phyllis has such charming graces;
The Sailor's Life; My lovely Celia;
Come, let's be merry—Symphony
Orchestra conducted by Dr. Mal-
colm Sargent.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Wea-
ther Report and Announcements.8.02 p.m. London Relay—World
Affairs.

A talk by Edwin Howard.
8.15 p.m. Studio—A Concert
by Z.B.W. Orchestra with Gaston
D'Aquino (Tenor).

1—Waltz—Wiener Blut (Strauss).
—Z.B.W. Orchestra. 2—Salut de-
meure chaste e pure ("Faust"—
Gounod)—Gaston D'Aquino. 3—(a)
Minuet (Boccherini) (b) Jester's
Serenade (Herbert)—Z.B.W. Or-
chestra. 4—(a) Se Tu Won Torn!
(b) La Mia Canzone (c) A Mare-
chiale (Tosti)—Gaston D'Aquino.
5—Scandinavian Suite (Frederik-
sen): (a) In the Mountains (b) In
the Country (c) March of the Vik-
ings (d) Elf's Dance—Z.B.W. Or-
chestra.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—A Visit
to the Empire Exhibition (Scot-
land).9.30 p.m. London Relay—The
News.

9.50 p.m. Beethoven—Concerto
No. 3 in C Minor, Op. 37.
Played by Arthur Schnabel
(Piano) and the London Philhar-
monic Orchestra conducted by Dr.
Malcolm Sargent.

10.28 p.m. Songs by Derek Old-
ham (Tenor).

Derek Oldham Medley:—Intro:
Sentry Song ("Madame Pompa-
dour"); Love In My Heart Awakening
("The Merry Widow"); New Moon
("Whirlled Into Happiness");
Serenade ("Madame Pompadour");
Song of the Vagabonds ("The
Vagabond King"); "Ah, must I leave
thee ("The Pirates of Penzance");
A wandering Minstrel I ("The
Mikado"); Rose-Marie ("Rose-
Marie").

10.36 p.m. Excerpts from Gilbert
and Sullivan.
"The Mikado":—Behold the Lord
High Executioner; As Some Day It
May Happen—Henry A. Lytton and
Chorus of Men. Comes A Train of
Little Ladies—Chorus of Girls.
Three Little Maids—E. Griffin, D.
Hemmingsway, B. Elburn and Chorus
of Girls. So Please You, Sir—E.
Griffin, A. Davies, B. Elburn, L.
Sheffield and Chorus of Girls.
Were You Not To Ko-Ko Pighted—
E. Griffin and D. Oldham. With
Aspect Stern—Finale, Act 1—L.
Sheffield, H. Lytton, D. Oldham, E.
Griffin, A. Davies, B. Elburn, G.
Baker and Chorus. "The Mikado"
(Cont'd):—Your Revels Cease—
Finale Act 1—B. Lewis, D. Oldham,
A. Davies, B. Elburn and Chorus:
Oh, Faithless One (Finale Act 1)—
B. Lewis, D. Oldham, E. Griffin, and
Chorus.

11 p.m. Close down.

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cies 17.770kc. and 11.730kc.10.45 a.m.—"At Home and
Abroad." (A).

11.05—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Pro-
gramme (A).1.00 p.m.—"World Affairs." Talk
by Edwin Howard (D 1).1.15—"Simplon-Orient Express"
(D 1).2.00—"For Sailors." A monthly
series of talks (D 1).2.15—Lieder Recital by Linda
Parker (soprano) and Stanley Pope
(baritone) (D 1).

2.50—News (D 1).

4.30—"At Home and Abroad."
(A).4.45—Sporting News and Notes
(A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

6.00—"The Plays the Thing."
(A).6.45—Sidney Torch, at the Organ
of the Gaumont State Cinema,
Kilburn (D 2).6.50—Two-Plane Recital by Frank
Hutchens and Lindley Evans (A).7.10—Recital by Richard Tauber
(A).8.00—"World Affairs." Talk by
Edwin Howard (D 2).8.15—Sonata Recital by Ronald
Onley (violin) and Irene Crowther
(pianoforte) (D 2); Jim Davidson's
A.B.C. Dance Band (A).8.50—The Avalon Quartet (D 2):
Recorded Feature (A).9.15—Visit to the Empire Exhi-
bition (Scotland) (D 2).

9.30—News (D 2).

10.00—"When You and I were
Dancing." Dave Frost and his Band
(D 3).

11.00—Yodelling Songs (D 3).

11.15—"Steamboat." (D 3).

12.00—News (D 3).

12.20 a.m.—"Matters of Moment."
Talk by Charles Hill, M.D. (D 3).12.35—John Reynolders with his
Orchestra (D 3).

A—Australia.

D.I.—Davenport, Trans. I.

D.II—Davenport, Trans. II.

D.III—Davenport, Trans. III.

H.I.—Holland-India.

HARRIS & VOSE
COTTON REPORT

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only Twenty-Five Million Dollars,
which is a flea bite as far as Gov-
ernment figures are concerned
these days, especially when it
would add One Hundred and Five
Million Dollars to the cotton farm-
ers' income under these theoretical
figures.

At this writing the average of the
ten designated markets is slightly
above the mandatory loan price,
which would indicate very limited
possibilities on the short side,
therefore at present levels a con-
servative long position appears
justified.

Friday's Closing Prices:

	New York
October	8.42
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March	8.55

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U.S. REGAINS STATUS AS
GRAIN EXPORTER
The United States moved
rapidly in the first three
months of 1938 toward re-
gaining its position as a lead-
ing exporter of corn and
wheat.
An analysis of the first quar-
ter's foreign trade figures, issued
by the Chamber of Commerce of
the United States, ranked corn
and wheat as fourth and fifth,
respectively, on a list of 50 chief
export items.
Last year, exports of these two
commodities were so negligible they
did not have a place on the list.
The survey indicated that corn
exports rose from \$29,000 a year
ago to \$27,591,000 in the first three
months of 1938. Wheat exports
gained from \$169,000 to \$27,406,000.
Many landlords in Shanghai
have raised the rentals on their
houses, and the action has given
rise to complaints by tenants to
the Civic Association in the West
Special District, which has been
asked to approach the landlords
with a view to stabilizing rentals.

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 Terukuni Maru, Japanese, 7,156 reg. tons, Capt. Y. Okuno, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A2, 9 p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Tango Maru, Japanese, from Japan ports, at buoy A14, 11 a.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Hai Ching, British, 1,322 reg. tons, Capt. O. H. Farrar, from Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, at Douglas Wharf, a.m.—Douglas and Co. (Tel. 28037).

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DUE TOMORROW

Sarpedon, British, 6,917 registered tons, Capt. T. B. Nelson, from London and Singapore, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kwai Sang, British, 1,435 reg. tons, from Shanghai, at buoy No. B2, a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Mau Sang, British, 2,063 reg. tons, Captain P. Jowitt, from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22, a.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Bangalore, British, 2,575 registered tons, Capt. M. B. Symons, from Japan and Shanghai at buoy No. A7, a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Yamaguchi Maru, Japanese, 3,318 registered tons, Captain Miyahara, from Maoka, at buoy No. B25, a.m.—S. K. (Tel. 26681).

Menestheus, British, from Shanghai via Formosa, at buoy No. A11, a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Helikon, British, 1,220 registered tons, Captain W. Anderson, from Saigon, at buoy No. B3, a.m.—Wo Fat Shing (Tel. 20005).

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 reg. tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from K. C. Wan, at buoy No. B7, p.m.—Tai Poo Sek & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Gneisenau, German, 10,712 reg. tons, Capt. E. Hengstenberg, from Bremen, Straits and Manila, at Kowloon Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

Ashridge, British, 1,849 registered tons, Captain H. McPhee, from Samarinda, at Yaumati—Williamson & Co. (Tel. 23755).

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Perseus, British, 6,338 registered tons, Captain G. Rundle, from Holt's Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, daylight—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Yat Shing, British, 1,424 reg. tons, Captain B. Bidwell, from buoy No. B8, for Halphong, 10 a.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Gneisenau, German, 10,712 reg. tons, Capt. E. Hengstenberg, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan ports, 6 p.m.—Melchers and Co. (Tel. 27772).

Sui Sang, British, 2,208 registered tons, Captain T. Hughes, from buoy No. A9, for Osaka and Kobe, noon—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Friderun, German, 1,470 registered tons, Capt. G. Bloem, from Kowloon Wharf, for Madang and Rabaul, a.m.—Melchers and Co. (Tel. 27772).

Emp. of Canada, British, 12,811 reg. tons, Capt. W. T. Kinley, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, 5 p.m.—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).

Menestheus, British, from buoy No. A11, for Singapore, Marseilles, Cblanca, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow, 10 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tango Maru, Japanese, from buoy No. A14, for Singapore, Bombay and Colombo, 5 p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Sui Sang, British, 2,208 registered tons, Captain T. Hughes, from Kowloon Wharf, for Kobe and Osaka, noon—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hong Sang, British, 2,140 registered tons, Capt. D. M. Hood, from Taikoo Dock, for Amoy and Foochow, p.m.—Ho Thong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

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 Yaumati—Ashridge, Asian, Indira, Chang On, Kalapot and Tural.

Kowloon Bay—Yllo.
 Quarry Bay—Muncaster Castle.
 Stonecutters—Yochow.

DOCKS

Kowloon—Chinese Prince, Havdrow and Monte Piana.
 Cosmopolitan—Apoy.
 Taikoo—Anshun, Casiana, Nord.
 Hong Sang, Sygna, Unita and Yingchow.

BUOYS

No. A 1—Tjinegara.
 No. A 7—Van Heutsz.
 No. A 8—Serooskerk.
 No. A 11—Menestheus.
 No. A 13—Tjinegara.
 No. B 2—Norviken.
 No. B 4—Hiram.
 No. B 5—Helikon.
 No. B 8—Yat Shing.
 No. B 15—Kalgan.
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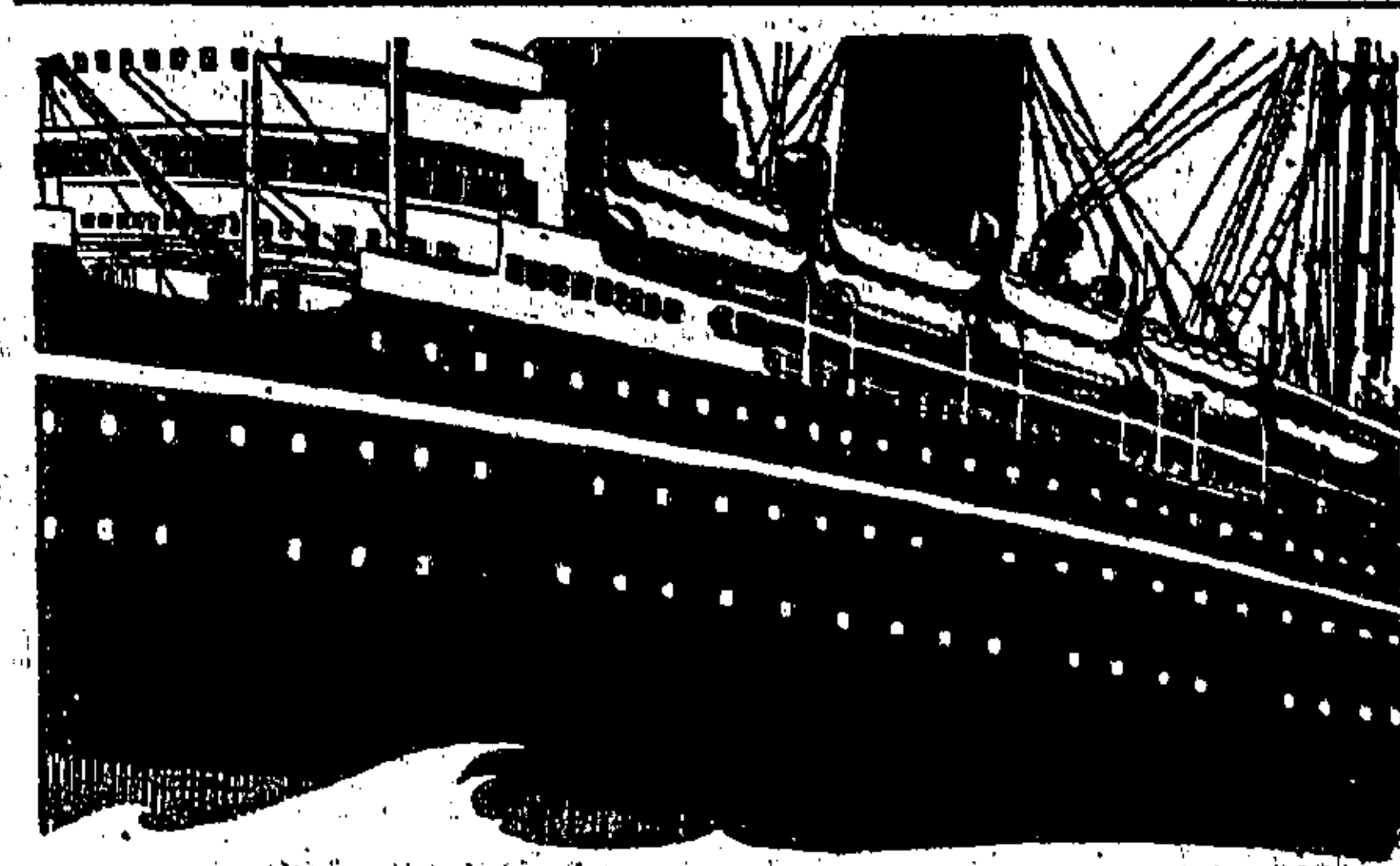
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CHITRAL	14,500	18th Aug.	do
TILAWA	10,000	18th Aug.	Japan
CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
*SOUDAN	6,000	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
SANTHA	8,000	1st Sept.	Japan
NANKIN	7,000	4th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
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The R.M.S. Empress of Japan (Canadian Pacific S.S. Limited) arrived at Vancouver on August 9 at 4/6 p.m. and leaves Vancouver on August 20 at 11 a.m. She is due at Hong Kong on Sept. 9 in the morning, and leaves Hong Kong for Manila on the same day in the evening.

S.S. CLYTONEUS
 The Butterfield and Swire's s.s. Clytneus is expected to arrive in Hong Kong from Manila on Aug. 12 at daylight.

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Adria for Saigon.
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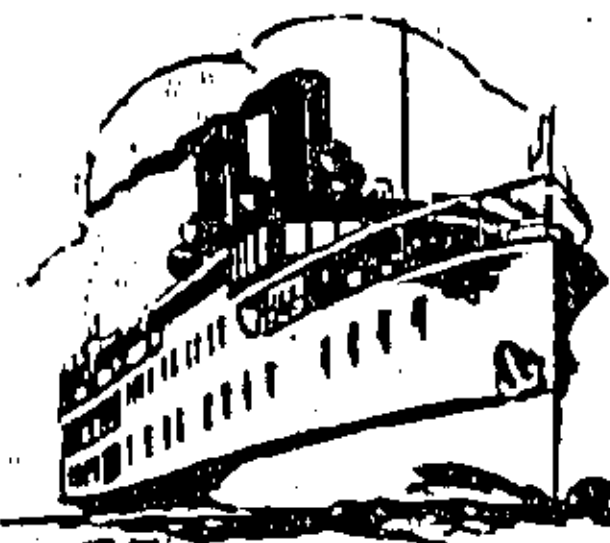
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Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesday and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th Aug., will be subject to Bent.

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9th August, 1938.

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All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 25th Aug., or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 9th Aug., 1938, at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be counter-signed by W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA), LTD.

Agents.
Hong Kong, 5th Aug., 1938.Red Army Will Not Concede Single
Inch Of The Sacred Soviet LandSOVIET-JAPAN
BORDER
SITUATION

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The communique adds that investigation into losses suffered by Japanese and Soviet troops up to Tuesday are not yet complete but heavy damage was apparently inflicted on Soviet troops.—(Reuter).

JAPANESE TROOPS LEAVING

Further indication of Japanese withdrawals of troops, coinciding with the continued Soviet border tension, was afforded by a reliable foreign report received in Shanghai today that the Japanese were recently seen evacuating Liangyungshan, port of Haichow, at the eastern terminus of the Lunghai Railway. The Japanese originally occupied Liangyungshan just over four months ago during the advance on Hsuehowfu.

Although it was expected that the Japanese would slowly penetrate westward from here along the Lunghai Railway until they reach Hsuehowfu and thus bring the whole of the western portion of the railway under Japanese control, they are "reliably learned never to have advanced more than five miles from the sea."

Two destroyers stood by the transports while the evacuation was made. It is presumed, though not confirmed, that the troops were transferred to Manchukuo.—(Reuter).

CLOSE CHINESE INTEREST

Hankow, August 10. Chinese circles are watching with the closest attention developments in Changkufeng. Fighting on the Soviet-Manchukuo border, it is believed, will directly affect the Sino-Japanese military situation.

The situation has given rise to the wildest speculation one report being that the Japanese are withdrawing two-thirds of their air force now operating in China and transferring this number to the border.

Another report states that Tokyo is sending five fresh divisions to China in order to speed up the Japanese drive to Hankow believing that as soon as Hankow falls Japan can give the border incident her entire attention.

News of the fighting in Changkufeng is injecting new spirit into the Chinese fighting forces. Chinese circles declare, they state, "Confidence among the Chinese populace is so high that many are, even talking about returning to Nanking in the fall."

The Changkufeng hostilities are said to be largely responsible for the slow progress in the Central Government's programme for the evacuation of Hankow. Many are now insisting on remaining in the city.—(Reuter).

REPUBLICANS
LAUNCH NEW
OFFENSIVEClaim Success
In Segre River
Sector

Barcelona, August 10. The Republicans claim that in a new offensive yesterday their forces crossed the Segre River south of Balaguer and penetrated a considerable distance into Nationalist territory, taking many prisoners and abandoned war material.—(Reuter).

COUNTER CLAIM

Saragossa, August 10. General Queipo de Llano, who has launched a new offensive on the Euzemadura front, claims that his troops have advanced eight miles on a 25 miles front.

The vanguard is said to have reached a point 25 miles from the famous Almaden mercury mines.—(Reuter).

GENERAL ISOGAI

Changchun, August 10. Lieut.-General Rensuke Isogai has arrived here to take up duties as Chief-of-Staff of the Kwantung Army, in succession to Lieut.-General Elki Tojo who is now a Vice-Minister. General Isogai was formerly a division commander in North China.—(International).

Entire People Will Rise At
First Call Of Party

Yenan, August 10.

Crowded meetings have been held in the largest centres of the U.S.S.R. at which workers, engineers and employees in their speeches and resolutions expressed great indignation against the provocative actions of Japanese militarists on the Far Eastern frontier. Workers of the Moscow metallurgical works "Sickle and Hammer" addressed the Soviet Government a request urging the most resolute rebuff against the insolent Japanese militarists.

Meetings held in all departments of workshops and ship building plants adopted the following resolution:—

"Let the Japanese militarists and their Berlin and Rome accomplices firmly remember that the Red Army will not concede a single inch of the sacred Soviet land. The entire Soviet people are ready for mobilization and will rise at the first call of the Party and Government to defend arms in hand, the beautiful and beloved fatherland."

A meeting of 30,000 textile workers was held in Ivanovo. A speaker declared that the Soviet youth is ready at the first call of the Party and Government to offer rebuff against any enemy who intends to encroach upon the U.S.S.R.

Amidst tremendous enthusiasm the meeting decided to send a telegram of greetings to M. Stalin, Marshal Voroshilov and fighters on the Far Eastern front decorated with the order of Red Banner.

Reports of similar meetings continue to come from all parts of the Soviet Union.—(International).



M. STALIN

NEW CHIEF OF
SOVIET OGPU
IS NAMEDARREST OF HIGH
PRIEST

Espionage Alleged

Yenan, August 10.

Mr. Gregory Gorbach, former chief of the secret police of the Novosibirsk region, has been named as Chief of the Far Eastern OGPU, replacing General Genrich S. Lushkov, who escaped into Manchukuo last month.

At the same time, as part of the small-scale purge now going on in the Soviet Far East, Mr. Vasily Dementiev, former OGPU Chief of Archangel, has been named Head of the special secret police division for the Pacific Fleet at Vladivostok and the Maritime Province.

Peter Sergel, said to be a high priest of the Metropolitan Greek Orthodox Church, who was arrested recently by the OGPU for espionage, has been sentenced to the German and Polish intelligence services, according to the newspaper Rostov.

Sergel, after severe questioning, implicated a large Church group and testified that the members were under orders to utilize the opportunities of the organization and concentrate on the Russian White Guards' preparations for an armed uprising at a suitable time.

The group, the paper charges, has long maintained close relations with the Vatican.—(International).

LOYALISTS NOW
IMPATIENTDelay In British
Plan In Spain

Paris, August 10.

Republican impatience over the delay in carrying out the British plan for the withdrawal of foreign volunteers from Spain was expressed by the Republican Spanish Foreign Minister, Senor Del Vayo, to French and British press correspondents on Tuesday.

He demanded that action be taken as soon as possible and emphasized the fact that the Republican Spanish Government had given its consent on July 26 and, in this manner, had made a considerable sacrifice in order to reveal its willingness to co-operate, but equal concession from the Nationalist side had not been forthcoming.—(Transocean).

SOVIET ORDER

Vladivostok, August 10.

The Presidium of the U.S.S.R. has awarded four Red Army men of the frontier guards with the Order of "Red Star" for the heroism they displayed while defending the State frontier against Japan, according to a Tass report.—(International).

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Japan	Tango Maru	11th Aug.
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Amoy	Sirdhana	11th Aug.
Shanghai	Kwaisang	11th Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kwangtung	11th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Terukuni Maru	12th Aug.
Japan	Morioka Maru	12th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 7th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	12th Aug.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia—London date, 21st July	Bangalore	13th Aug.
Manila	Clytonus	13th Aug.
Haliphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Suiyang	13th Aug.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 8th August.	Pan-American Airways Plane	13th Aug.
Straits and Manila	Conte	13th Aug.
Straits	Blancamano	13th Aug.
Straits	Behar	13th Aug.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London date 14th July	Laomedon	13th Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Katori Maru	13th Aug.
Straits and London Parcels—London date, 7th July	Sirkiang	13th Aug.
Tientsin	Sarpedon	14th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 10th August.	Huphe	15th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Imperial Airways Plane	16th Aug.
Japan	Tilawa	16th Aug.
Saigon	La Plata Maru	16th Aug.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London date, 21st July and London Parcels—London date, 14th July	Aramis	17th Aug.
Japan	Chitra	17th Aug.
Australia and Manila	Helo Maru	17th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Ateuta Maru	18th Aug.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco—date, 29th July)	Pres. Doumer	18th Aug.
	Pres. Coolidge	23rd Aug.

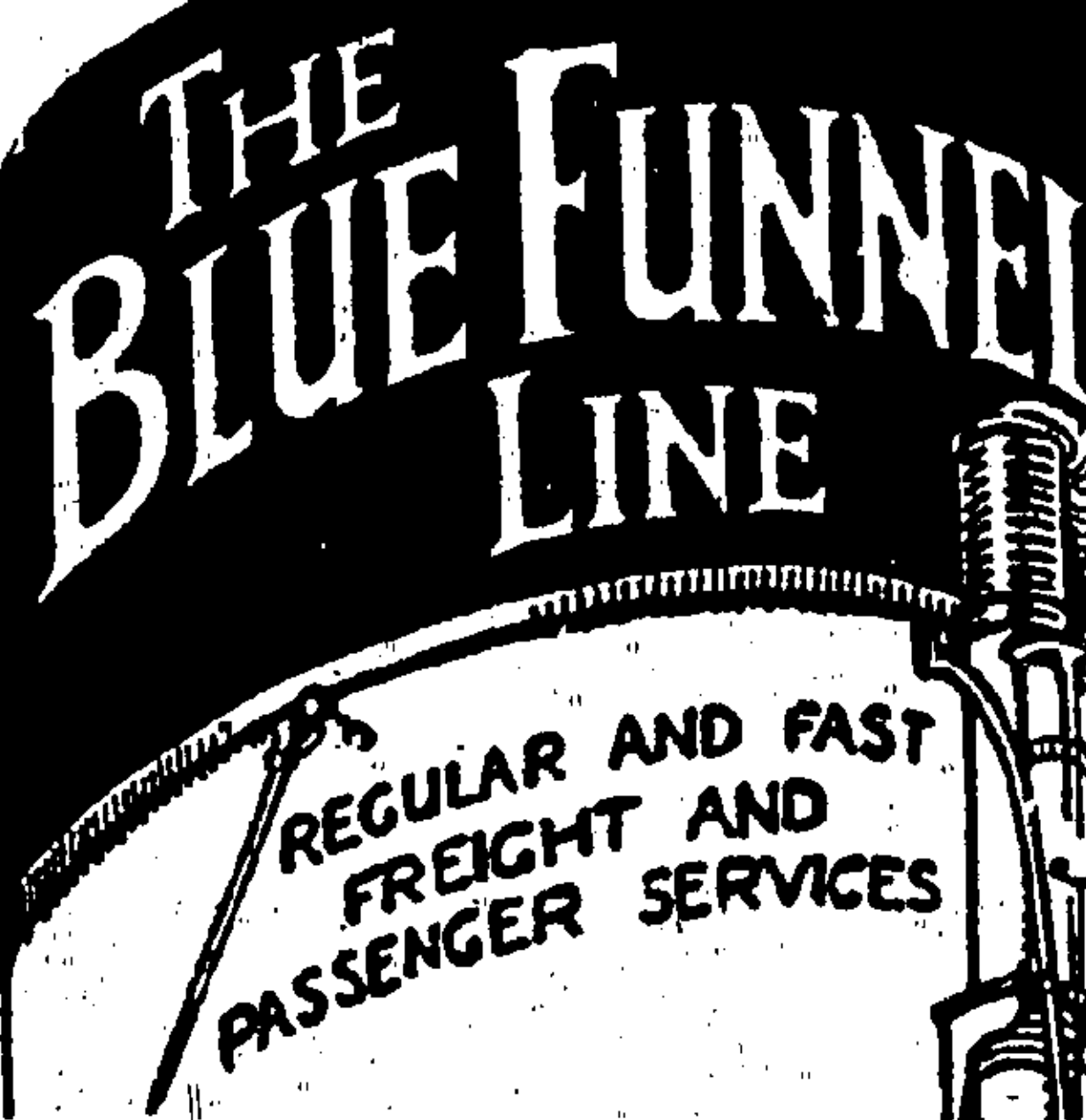
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For	Per	Date and Time
THURSDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Thursday, 11th 8.15 AM
Japan and "EUROPE" via Siberia	Suisang	10.30 AM
Madang, Salamaua, Tulagi and Rabaul	Friderun	10.30 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	11.00 AM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface-transport as Services permit).		
Manila	Eurasia Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
Shanghai and "Japan"	Emp. of Canada	4.30 PM
Airmail for Chungking (via Hankow) by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	Gneisenau	4.30 PM
	C.N.A.C. Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
Urmal for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London 18th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Air Mail for Malaya and Australia by Imperial Airways Direct Service—due Sydney, 20th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
FRIDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongning	Friday, 12th 8.15 AM
Amoy	Tjinegara	8.30 AM
Kongmoon	On Lee	9.00 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and "South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 8th September.		
Swatow and Amoy	Terukuni Maru	1.30 PM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Halching	2.00 PM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 23rd August.	Yochow	2.30 PM
Straits, Ceylon, India, Aden, "Egypt and "Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 15th Sept.		
Swatow and "Shanghai"	Bangalore	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
	Tientsin	4.30 PM
SATURDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Saturday, 13th 8.15 AM
Shanghai	Conte	8.30 AM
	Blancamano	8.30 AM
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 21st August	Pan-American Airways Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 12th 5.00 PM Ord. 12th 5.00 PM
Shanghai, Japan and "Europe via Siberia"	Katori Maru	Reg. 12th 5.00 PM Ord. 12th 5.00 PM
Amoy	Van Heuts	5.00 PM
SUNDAY		
Amoy and Formosa	Tyosa Maru	Sunday, 14th 8.00 AM

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